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SLAV PLANES GROUND NAZI BOMBER

FRENCH BOG INDO-CHINESE PEACE PLANS

Jap Ultimatum Still Is Ignored

By The Associated Press

TOKYO—(Sunday)—The failure of the French ambassador to keep a scheduled appointment with the Japanese foreign minister prolonged today the crisis in Japan's mediation between French Indo-China and Thailand, made more acute by an expired ultimatum.

Foreign Minister Yosuke Matsuoka waited at his residence for six hours, from 4 until 10 p.m., last night, for Ambassador Charles Arsene Henry to keep an appointment which authoritative quarters had hinted might end in acceptance of Japan's final terms.

No Conference

But the conference did not occur, and observers said they believed this development indicated a French hope of postponing a showdown.

It was presumed Ambassador Henry had received last-minute instructions from the government at Vichy which at least postponed his anticipated talk with Matsuoka.

Consequently Japan still was not officially informed of Vichy's final decision despite authoritative hints, widely displayed in the press, that the French had agreed to the basic terms of Japan's compromise proposal, made in an ultimatum which expired at midnight Friday, Tokyo time.

Japanese Wary

Observers believed the Japanese were hesitant to resort to the "forceful action" which they had hinted would be applied, so long as a peaceful settlement appeared at all possible.

3 JAPANESE WARSHIPS JOIN SAIGON FLEET

SAIGON, French Indo-China—(AP)—Three Japanese warships steamed close to shore Saturday off Cap St. Jacques, 40 miles south of this south Indo-China city and added to the nervousness of officials tormented by conflicting rumors of Japanese intentions.

Arrival of the warships was regarded by observers as partial confirmation at least of reports that 51 ships of the Japanese navy were on patrol in nearby waters.

Union 'Fishing' At Orange Steel Plant

ORANGE—(AP)—A group of 50 American Federation of Labor pickets Saturday "went fishing" at the Consolidated Steel Corporation of Texas in Orange.

Surrounding the plant when it opened Saturday, the pickets explained they were not striking, but were merely "on a fishing trip."

"We can't get a contract signed so we are fishing to get one," a picket explained.

QUAKES ROCK NORTH GREECE

Heavy Death Toll Is Expected

By The Associated Press

ATHENS, Greece—Violent earthquakes shook northern Greece early Saturday and every available report indicated casualties were heavy.

Larisa, a city of 30,000, urgently telephoned Athens for tents for 15,000 persons and, since the people there and elsewhere were abed when the disturbances began, it was feared many had died.

Troop detachments tore at wreckage to rescue the imprisoned. Many of the city's streets were filled with debris. Telephone and telegraph buildings were among those damaged.

MAGNETIC DISTURBANCES DELAY EUROPEAN CABLES

NEW YORK—(AP)—Magnetic and atmospheric disturbances Saturday completely suspended for a time all wireless and cable communications with Europe and erratically disrupted domestic communications.

Wireless contact between New York and Europe was unsatisfactory throughout the morning but cables, after a 30-minute mid-morning fadeout, continued to operate with frequent lapses and slow transmission. South American circuits were also affected.

Pappy Urges Texans To 'Eat More Meat'

AUSTIN—(AP)—While people of war-torn Europe faced food rationing, Texans in contrast Saturday were urged to eat more and more.

Proclaiming the week of March 3-8 as "Eat-More-Meat" week, Governor W. Lee O'Daniel cited the state's "boundless resources and unlimited products" in asking citizens to join in the observance.

March In Like A Lion

Wind Velocity In Valley Reaches 26 MPH

HARLINGEN—March "came in like a lion," and no mistake, with wind velocity recorded as high as 26 miles per hour at the Brownsville airport weather station Saturday.

If the legend holds true that March will end its stay "quiet as a lamb" after coming in "like a lion," then the Valley can look for becalmed weather by the end of March.

However, the "lion" part of the deal will hold good for at least another day, U. S. weather bureaumen said Saturday night. The wind had dropped to 10 m.p.h. by 10 p.m. Saturday, with prediction Sunday would be considerably cloudy and probably as windy as Saturday.

Which means that the dust will continue to blow about as sprightly as if there had been no seven consecutive days of drizzling weather quite recently.

King Greets Winant

English Monarch Breaks Precedent To Meet New U. S. Envoy At Railroad Station

By The Associated Press

LONDON—King George VI swept stiff diplomatic formality aside Saturday and went halfway across England to greet the new United States ambassador to his court, John W. Winant, with a hearty handshake.

The meeting place was a windswept railroad platform between London and Bristol. Winant, the shaggy ex-governor of New Hampshire, landed at Bristol after flying across the Atlantic to his new post.

John C. Winant, new United States ambassador to England, arrived in London Saturday and staid conservatives were startled by King George's action in going halfway across his country to meet the new envoy.

With Winant came his assistant, Benjamin Cohen, and President James Bryant Conant of Harvard University, who is on a government mission to collect scientific information for American defense needs.

Spruce in the uniform of a field marshal, the king impulsively reached out and pumped first Winant's hand, then Cohen's.

"I am glad to welcome you," he said, warmly.

Having discarded protocol in seeking out the ambassador—the first time he ever had driven to the station to greet a new envoy—King George kept up the note of cordial informality by driving him home to tea with Queen Elizabeth.

The king's extraordinary gesture was regarded as reciprocation for President Roosevelt's reception of Lord Halifax, Britain's new ambassador to Washington last January 24, when Lord Halifax rode up Cheasapeake Bay aboard the British battleship King George V to take up his post. President Roosevelt drove to Annapolis and sailed out to the British battleship to greet the ambassador.

THOUSANDS AT TOT PARADE

20,000 See 4,500 Tots In Brownsville

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BROWNSVILLE — Thousands of brilliantly costumed school children and their teachers transformed Brownsville into a scene of Pan American gaiety here Saturday afternoon for the fourth annual Charro Days children's parade, twice postponed because of bad weather.

Many more thousands jammed the line of march through downtown streets to witness the spectacle which saw Cameron county and Matamoros students combine forces in one of the biggest parades of its kind ever held here.

20,000 See Parade

According to John Fanning, chairman of the event, some 4500 children and teachers marched in the

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News Censor Means Is Flayed In House

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Minority members of the House expenditures committee, urging defeat of legislation to authorize an annual appropriation of $1,500,000 for the office of government reports, contended Saturday that the office would be a vehicle for imposition of censorship on news.

Wales Raid Defense Now Much Improved

LONDON—(AP)—Air Minister Sir Archibald Sinclair said Saturday Wales now is defended against German bombers by eight times as many anti-aircraft guns and 15 times as many balloons as there were eight months ago.

He said that Wales was "open and almost defenseless to attack" when the Germans obtained their French coastal bases in June.

Italy Warns Swiss

ROME—(AP)—The newspaper La Tribuna warned the Swiss Saturday again "provoking" Italians living in Switzerland with "insults" on the Italian army which it reported were heard in the canton of Neuchatel.

Glass Is Criticized For Request To FBI

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Senator Glass (D-Va) was criticized and defended in the Senate Saturday for asking the Federal Bureau of Investigation to check up on a group of women opposed to the British-aid bill.

Senator Clark (D-Mo), an opponent of the bill, declared that the "right of petition won't last long if Senator Glass asks the FBI to investigate every petitioner."

Aged Woman Dies

MT. PLEASANT—(AP)—Mrs. N. I. Brewer, who six years ago at the age of 95, remarked that she wanted to pass the century mark, died Saturday at the age of 101.

Business Better

Reserve Bank Issues Annual Review

DALLAS —(AP)— Continued improvement in Texas and southwestern business conditions was indicated in the Federal Reserve Bank's business review issued here Saturday.

Steadily soaring retail and wholesale sales and a favorable outlook for agriculture and livestock were reflected in the review for the eleventh district covering Texas, Southeast Oklahoma, southern half of New Mexico, northern half of Louisiana and Southeast Arizona.

The bank's index for department store sales rose from 116 per cent of the 1923-25 average in December to 126 per cent in January. Dollar value of sales in January was 14 per cent greater than a year earlier.

MERGING OF BRITISH, U.S. FLEETS HINTED

Lease-Lend Bill Foes Say FD Can Do It

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Foes of the lease lend bill insisted in the Senate Saturday that despite restrictive provisions President Roosevelt could "give" any portion of the navy to the British, and, moreover, could consolidate the American and British fleets.

With these statements, they coupled an attack on William C. Bullitt, former ambassador to France, for, they said, making propaganda speeches in this country, and for asserting in a recent address that the opponents of the bill were suffering from "political dementia praecox."

Raps Bullitt

"Of course, Mr. Bullitt ought to know," said Senator Wheeler (D-Mont). "I (he stressed the "I") have never been under observation. I have never been in a hospital for the treatment of nervous diseases. Those who have, of course, ought to know about political and other kinds of dementia praecox."

Wheeler took the floor at the outset of the session to continue a long prepared speech he began Friday. Several Senators, Lucas (D-Ill), Tunnell (D-Del), and Smaterhs (D-NJ), also had prepared speeches.

Administration leaders, concerned over the continued lengthy speech-making, talked among themselves, meanwhile, of longer sessions next week in an effort to speed a final vote.

Less than half the Senate seats were occupied, but the galleries were jammed.

Wheeler began by referring to argument which arose Friday, over the bill's provision that existing defense articles to a maximum value of $1,300,000 only could be transferred to Great Britain or other nations. He had contended that by placing arbitrary valuations on naval vessels Mr. Roosevelt could transfer as much of the fleet as he chose to England. Proponents of the bill, particularly, Chairman George of the Senate Foreign Relations committee, had replied that "value" was "value" and definitely limited the extent of such transfers.

Values Confusing

Returning to the argument, Wheeler read from the "corpus juris" a passage that said value was determined by many considerations. It could be market value, use value, sentimental value, or any one of several such things.

It was unfair to the president, he said, to give him the power involved without laying down, simultaneously, criteria for the interpretation of the word "value."

Senator Taft (R-Ohio) had brought up the question of consolidating the American and British fleets.

J. M. JETTON FATALLY SHOT

Ex-Hidalgo Jailer Dies At Corpus

CORPUS CHRISTI—(AP)—J. M. (Scotty) Jetton, 63, guard for a major oil company was killed and Phillip Trammell, 40, ranch hand, was wounded seriously in a mysterious shooting at Jetton's home Friday night.

The shooting was not discovered until Saturday.

Nueces and Kleberg county officers investigated.

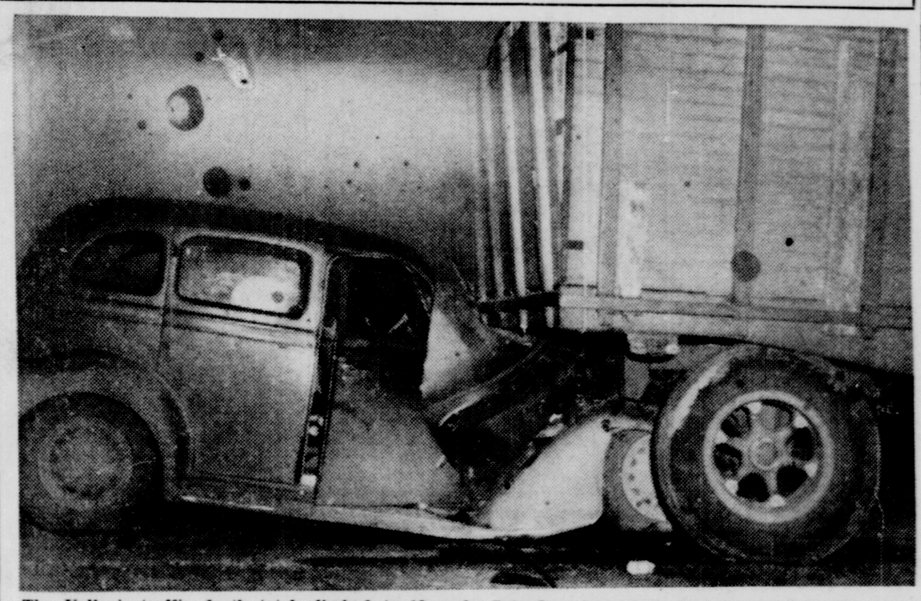
Jetton once was a deputy and jailer under the late Sheriff A. Y. Baker of Hidalgo county.

Funeral services will be held at the Kreidler Chapel at Edinburg at 4 p.m. Sunday, with Rev. E. P. Day, Presbyterian pastor there, officiating. Interment will be in the Edinburg cemetery.

US Takes Over Bases

HAMILTON, Bermuda—(AP)—The stars and stripes were hoisted over Tucker's and Morgan's islands by U. S. Marines Saturday in formally taking over sites of New American defense bases.

Death At Dawn On Highway 281



The Valley's traffic death total climbed to 13 early Saturday, two more than recorded to the same date in 1940, the section's record year for highway slaughter. In the picture above, the sedan driven by Herman F. Johns, 42, of Mission, is shown after it crashed into the rear of a parked truck, heavily laden with citrus. Johns' wife was killed instantly and Johns was seriously injured in the collision, which occurred about 5:30 a. m. Saturday some five miles north of Edinburg. (Photo by Brad Smith.) (See another picture on page 2.)

TOURISTS SET FOR ROUNDUP

Harlingen Host To Valley Event

(See Picture on Page 2)

HARLINGEN—The Harlingen Tourist Club Round-Up, a day of pleasure for tourists all over the Valley, will be staged here Monday, beginning with a shuffleboard tournament at 10 a.m., Mrs. Walter Murray, Harlingen tourist hostess, announced here Saturday. Mrs. Frank G. Middleton of Casey, Ill., is general chairman for the Round-Up.

Following the shuffleboard tournament, lunch will be served at the Madison coffee shop, Mrs. Murray said, to be followed at 2 p.m., by 42, bridge and 500 tournaments.

Dinner-Dance Planned

The Round-Up, for which a large number of reservations have already been received from tourists all over the Valley, will be concluded with a diner dance in the Madison Hotel Green Room, beginning at 6:30 p.m. A diner hour program will also be given. The dance begins at 9 p.m., with the Tip O Texans furnishing the music. Prizes will be given the tournament winners with no entry fee charged.

The Round-Up, sponsored by the Harlingen Tourist Club, is being handled with the following committees in charge:

Shuffleboard: W. R. Johnson of Perry, Iowa; W. R. Broaddus of Blue Springs, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wilson of Ottawa, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gilliam of Waco, Texas.

Bridge committee: Mrs. C. W. Evans of Abbyville, Kan.; Mrs. George W. Hornsby of Evansville, Ind. The bridge tournament will be in charge of Mrs. R. R. Van Dusen of Evansville, Ind.

The 42 committee will be B. F. Bennett and G. C. Davis, both of Amarillo, Texas. Mrs. E. G. Wills of Springfield, Mo. will be in charge of the 500 tournament.

The refreshment committee includes Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Broaddus of Blue Springs, Mo.; Mrs. Norman L. Poland of Lewistown, Mont.; Mrs. Flora Black of Reinbeck, Iowa; and Mrs. Elizabeth Bidwell of Niles, Mich.

On the decorations committee are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Seedle of Havens, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Marshall of Wichita, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Langdon of Wilmette, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Cheeney of Winchendon, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith of Wankesha, Wis.; Miss Mary Jane Meisel of Ottawa, Iowa; and Floyd Ferris of Guttenberg, Iowa.

British Take 9,000

CAIRO, Egypt—(AP)—The capture of an aggregate thus far of 9,000 Fascist troops in Italian Somaliland and a further British thrust up the Juba to occupy Bardera, 190 miles from the river's mouth, was announced Saturday by British general headquarters.

Valley Woman Killed As Car Strikes Parked Truck

Mrs. Herman F. Johns, 36, Mission, Instantly Killed And Husband Critically Hurt

EDINBURG—Funeral services for Mrs. Herman F. Johns, 36, of Mission, who was killed about 5:30 a.m. Saturday when the car in which she was riding was in collision with a tractor-and-trailer truck north of here, will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday. The services will be conducted by Rev. A. T. Dyal of the Presbyterian Church at Mission, in the Kreidler Chapel in that city. Interment will be in the Mission cemetery under auspices of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. Johns was killed instantly, and her 42-year-old husband, who was driving was seriously injured, when their car crashed into the rear end of the big truck parked on the highway.

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Negligent homicide charge was filed against G. C. Shortes, 34, Robstown, owner and driver of truck. Johns was taken to County-City Hospital here in a Skinner ambulance, called by Dair Baldridge, Edinburg, who arrived at the scene an hour after the crash, on his way to San Antonio.

Ross said the truck was loaded with citrus. Headed north, the driver left it on the pavement, set out flares and went back to Edinburg to get a wheel to replace one with a flat tire, Ross said. The Johns car, running into the rear of the parked truck, was telescoped, the car being wedged up to the windshield beneath the baseboard of the truck. Johns sustained severe chest injuries and bruises and lacerations about the head and body.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Johns is survived by three children, Mrs. Wallace Bohannon of Mission, Marjorie Johns and Herman F. Johns, Jr., of Mission; and her parents of Floresville.

Mrs. Johns was the 13th Valley traffic victim for 1941 and the fourth killed in less than a week.

Greeks Confident If Germany Aids Italy

BITOLJ, Yugoslavia —(AP)— The Greek army will be able to hold out even should Nazi troops aid Italy against the Greeks in Albania, Greek sources in this border city declared Saturday night.

With German forces one country nearer the Albanian battle front through occupation of Bulgaria, these sources maintained that the Nazi mechanized equipment was unsuitable for a quick offensive and that the terrain would prevent the mass employment of troops.

Storms Kill 23

Blizzards And Cold Sweep Nation

By The Associated Press

Towering snowpiles lined slippery highways in the middle Atlantic states Saturday night in the wake of a blizzard that took at least 23 lives and extended over 1,000-mile front. Clearing skies brought a forecast of continued cold weather.

Along the west coast, an extensive magnetic storm followed gales and torrential rains that struck simultaneously with the eastern snow storm, and disrupted wireless communications over the Pacific ocean.

Generally fair but unseasonably cold weather extended into the deep south, dropping the mercury to 44 at Miami, while the middlewest enjoyed balmy weather with temperatures as high as 62 in Nebraska and Iowa.

4 KILLED IN TRAIN CRASH

Oklahoma Crossing Scene Of Tragedy

CHELSEA, Okla. —(AP)— The Firefly, fast-traveling Frisco passenger train, struck an automobile at a downtown crossing Saturday, killing four of its occupants outright and sending another to a hospital with critical injuries.

The dead were Theodore Smart, 32, cattle farmer; his 16-year-old bride of three days; Billie Johnson, 6, and Montgomery Johnson, 4. Smart's mother, Mrs. W. I. Smart, 70, was reported at the point of death in a Vinita hospital.

Highway Patrolman Jack Rollins said Smart's car, a rattly sedan of 1929 vintage, was driven onto the tracks directly into the path of the Firefly, which was traveling between 65 and 70 miles an hour.

The collision, witnessed by several persons, hurled the old car 50 feet through the air, leaving its parts strewed up and down the right-of-way for a hundred yards.

The Smarts, who were married Wednesday, had come to Chelsea from Catale, six miles north of here, to do their Saturday shopping, friends reported. The two boys, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Johnson of Catale and grand children of Mrs. W. I. Smart, had come with them for the trip.

Two Are Injured In Crash Near Bridge

HARLINGEN—Ben Jordan and Miss Tullis Sacda, both of Harlingen, were treated at Valley Baptist Hospital Saturday night for injuries received when the car in which they were riding was in collision about 11:30 p.m. with a bus just south of the Arroyo bridge. They were brought to the hospital by K. A. Carson of Fort Brown, a passing motorist. Jordan was given emergency treatment for a slight head injury and dismissed, while Miss Sacda remained in the hospital overnight so that full extent of her injuries could be determined. She sustained a number of bruises.

Front ends of both car and bus were damaged. Another bus had to be sent out to tow the damaged vehicle.

In another accident, also occurring about 11:30 p.m. Saturday, a Harlingen Ice Co. truck was damaged at intersection of Buchanan Ave. and F Street in Harlingen. The driver told officers another truck ran into him, then was driven off rapidly.

Ex-Governor Dies

MADISONVILLE, Ky.—(AP)—Ruby Laffoon, who created thousands of "Kentucky colonels" while he was governor of Kentucky from 1931 to 1935, died at 2:50 a.m. (CST) Saturday after a long illness. He suffered a paralytic stroke last week.

BULGARIA IN AXIS, ORDERS 'BLACKOUTS'

Fears Retaliation From Britain

SKOPLJE, Yugoslavia —(AP)— Three Yugoslav pursuit planes forced down a three-engined German Junkers bomber which appeared over this city Saturday afternoon with a full bomb load.

"We thought we were over Sofia," said one of the six German non-commissioned officers who were seized and interned.

This city is 120 miles southwest of Sofia, the Bulgarian capital which the Germans occupied Saturday.

By The Associated Press

Fearing retaliatory British bombs, little Bulgaria was blacked out completely Saturday night and early Sunday after joining the Axis and allowing German troops to enter her country—the eleventh to be dominated by Germany in three years.

Bulgarian authorities also feared internal revolt against the Germans—as evidenced by the issuance of carbines to all policemen, the mobilization of the army on all frontiers, and the arrests of would-be agitators.

Frontiers Closed

More anti-aircraft batteries were mounted atop Sofia buildings, and frontiers were closed.

British Minister George Rendel scheduled a meeting with King Boris for Sunday possibly a prelude to a British break with Bulgaria. He already had warned Bulgaria against admitting German troops. British bombers based in Crete are only a few hours' flight from Sofia.

Nazi Foreign Minister Ribbentrop in welcoming Bulgaria into the Axis at ceremonies Saturday in Vienna said:

"The Axis armies are drawn up, ready for action, to grab and strike England wherever she shows herself. . . . The states represented here today are on watch and ready to make their contribution to the final triumph of our common cause."

May "Force Peace"

He also said he hoped the total weight of the Axis powers would bring Britain "to her senses" and forceher to seek peace.

General Bulgarian mobilization also sent Bulgarian troops marching to the Turkish frontier.

Nazi military occupation immediately raised grave questions as to the future of Greece in her war with Italy, of Turkey's future under her alliance with Britain, of the latter's attitude toward Bulgaria, and of Yugoslavia's ability to continue sitting on the fence as a strictly neutral nation.

In the west, the luftwaffe kept up its raids on London, striking at the

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FOUR YOUTHS HELD GUILTY

May Die For Attack On Aged Grocer

SAN FRANCISCO —(AP)— Four sullen youths were convicted Saturday of beating an elderly grocer to death in a $53 robbery, and unless an appeal is successful they must stand execution by gas.

The verdict, with no recommendation for leniency, was returned by a jury of ten men and two women. There was no sign of nervousness on the faces of the four.

As they were handcuffed and led away, one turned to another and said "It seems that the boys and girls gave us the works."

The four were Delmar Arnold, 23; Brazen Hoyt, 22; Arthur Frazier, 22; and Silvio Tosi, 20. All except Tosi had prior convictions.

The victim of the brutal blackjack slaying last fall was David Ferrari. Several months later the gang was rounded up.

1941 Auto License Tags Now Permitted

HARLINGEN — None was noticed by observers here, but Saturday Texas motorists were for the first time permitted to attach their shiny new 1941 license plates to their automobiles.

All this month autoists can use the plates while from April 1 on, they must use them. The passenger car license tags this year are black with the numbers in gold. Commercial tags are the reverse, having black numbers on gold background.

Civic Music Drive Launched Monday

Jascha Heifetz Signed Up For Next Season; Symphony Slated Soon

HARLINGEN—The Rio Grande Valley Citrus Music Association will open its annual membership campaign over the Valley Monday, inaugurating the drive with a kick-off dinner at the Reese-Wilmond Hotel on Monday evening.

New members of the association will obtain free admission to the final concert of the current season, the presentation at Harlingen city auditorium March 27, of the 77-piece Houston Symphony Orchestra. (See picture on page 3).

Headquarters for the drive, for which chairmen have been named in every Valley city, will be in the Rio Grande National building here, with Mrs. Henry Carlisle, executive secretary, in charge of the office. Advance renewals of old memberships has been very good. Grafton Burdette, association president, reports.

Jascha Heifetz, regarded as the world's great violinist, will be presented during the Valley association's 1941 concert season, it was announced here Saturday.

Other artists for the five-concert series will be announced as definite bookings are arranged.

Season memberships will be sold only during the week of March 3-8, the association has announced. No single concert tickets will be sold Valleyites.

The association numbered approximately 1200 members for the current season. Higher number will be sought this season, with membership of 1800 the ultimate goal.

BULGARIA IN AXIS, ORDERS 'BLACKOUTS'

Fears Retaliation From British

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British capital three times after nightfall and raiding a 'south coast town.

Nazis In Sofia

By nightfall the Nazis had taken over the capital, Sofia, and the strategic Black Sea port of Varna, making it possible for the British to make good their threat of bombing troops and communications once Bulgaria was occupied.

The departure of the British minister, George W. Rendel, from Sofia was expected hourly. The legation waited for word from London as Nazi troops on foot and in road cars moved past the legation.

Rendel obtained an early evening audience with King Boris and was expected by members of his staff to notify the monarch that the Nazi occupation left Britain no choice but to break off relations with Bulgaria.

Signed In Vienna

The pact which put Bulgaria into the Axis alliance was signed in Belvedere Palace, Vienna, in a seven-minute ceremony witnessed by Hitler himself. Bulgaria's premier, Bogdan Philoff, signed for his country. Others present were German Foreign Minister Joachim Von Ribbentrop, Lieut. Gen. Hiroshi Oshima, Japanese ambassador to Germany, and Count Galeazzo Ciano, Italian foreign minister.

More Mental Cases Foreseen In U.S. As War, Draft Results

COLUMBIA, S. C. —(AP) —Apprehension over the selective service act and the "war scare" in general inevitably will cause more mentally-unstable individuals to be committed to hospitals, Supt. C. Fred Williams of the South Carolina Mental Hospital believes.

President of the American Psychiatric Association in 1933-34, Dr. Williams points out that "worry, anxiety and apprehension are partly responsibe for mental disorder," observing:

"I don't think there's any question but that the unstable individual gives way under stress and strain such as some would feel from the war scare.

"Many of the so-called shell-shocked men cracked under the strain of the first World War. They were what we call unstable."

Dr. Williams anticipates an increase next year at the hospital, explaining that in "good times" the institution is not called upon to take care of as many people as in "bad times" when stress and strain are greater.

Shortage Of Nurses Seen By Red Cross

DALLAS —(AP)— A shortage of graduate nurses and young physicians due to defense demands has resulted in a request by the American Red Cross that nursing schools increase their enrollment approximately 14 per cent, Alden B. Mills of Chicago, managing editor of the Modern Hospital Publishing Company, told members of the Texas Hospital Association Saturday.

Draft Finds Recruit With Perfect Teeth

WORCESTER, Mass.—(AP)—Mario Matos, 22, a Framingham foundry worker, made the doctors and army men at the Lamartine street induction center sit up and gaze with amazement Saturday—he had all his 32 teeth and every one was perfect.

Dr. A. A. Rafferty, dental examiner, said it was the first such case he had seen in 22 years of practice. Twelve properly placed teeth are all that are required to get by the induction board.

'Hunter's Home' Is Razed For Timbers

PORTLAND —(AP)— "Hunters' Home," a rooming house known to thousands of hunters from throughout the nation who have tried their sights at nearby Gum Hollow, is no more.

Erected in 1891 when Portland was laid out, it served as a business house for several years until Mrs. M. A. Smith remodeled it into a sportsman's hotel.

Mrs. May DeMouche, Mrs. Smith's daughter, is razing the building to provide lumber for other buildings.

Democratic Pullet

SHERMAN —(AP)— E. E. Johnson of Sherman has a pullet that's a died-in-the-feathers Democrat.

For a month before the election she laid an egg every day. Then when all loyal vote-her-straighters were balloting, she didn't function. But the next day she made up for lost time, laying an egg eight inches in circumference the long way and six inches the other way.

House Full Of Ice Greets New Yorker On Return Home

OGDENSBURG, N. Y.—(AP)—Away from the city all winter Frank Maloney returned to find his home turned into an ice house.

Someone had failed to turn off the water and his cellar was filled with 10 feet of ice, the parlor, kitchen and bedroom with four feet.

In addition, the doors were stuck tight and the house had been lift d several inches off its foundation by expansion of the ice.

Hidalgo Accident Victim

Mrs. Herman F. Johns, 36, of Mission, was unlucky 13 early Saturday, as the Valley's 1941 traffic toll continued to mount. Body of the well-known Mission matron is shown still slumped in the seat of her badly smashed sedan, after the car had crashed into the rear of a huge truck a few miles north of Edinburg. Some of the citrus from the loaded truck can be seen lying in the seat and on the running board of the sedan. (See related photo on page 1.) (Photo by Brad Smith.)

SKIRT—Ballet-skirted Greek mountaineer soldiers such as this one proved fiercest fighters in war with Italians. He belongs to the evzone, a select corps in Greek army.

Castelrosso Island Regained By Italy From British Force

ROME—(AP)—The high command said Saturday that Italian reinforcements landed from torpedo boats, regained possession Friday of the island of Castelrosso from British who seized it Tuesday.

(The British announced in London Friday night that their forces had withdrawn from the island—one of the Dodecanese in the Eastern Mediterranean—after the troops "accomplished their object.")

Ex-Hardin-Simmons President Honored

ABILEN E—(AP)— A $300,000 campaign to honor the memory of Dr. J. D. Sandefer, former Hardin-Simmons University president, will be launched in the near future by the University and its ex-students.

General chairman of the campaign will be Dr. Fred C. Eastham, pastor of the First Baptist church in Wichita Falls, an ex-student. A building program, including a new library-auditorium and administrative offices, is planned as a major campaign objective.

MRS. JOHNSON BETTER

RAYMONDVILLE — Mrs. C. R. Johnson who underwent major surgery at the Edgewater Hospital in Chicago recently will be removed to her hotel this week.

Mrs. Jacqueline Parker, her sister, will remain with her through the six weeks necessary for her recuperation.

TO PRESENT PLAY

BROWNSVILLE—The senior class of Villa Maria school will present a play entitled "Sinister House," written by Tom Taggart, at the Brownsville junior college auditorium on April 30.

Briefly Told

GUESTS DEPART

SANTA ROSA—Mrs. Clarence Almoney, of White Hall, Md., Mrs. Martin Mundof of Broguerille, Penn., and Mrs. Etta Miller of Red Lion, Penn., Mr. and Mrs. John Marsteller, and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Marsteller, and their daughter, Patsy, of Red Lion, Penn., after two weeks visit with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Trout, left for their respective homes on Tuesday of this week.

SON IS VISITING

SAN JUAN—Lloyd M. Whitlock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd M. Whitlock, Stewart road, returned Friday morning from San Diego, Calif., having completed his four years in the U. S. Navy service. He intends to remain at home for 90 days, pending further plans in the service.

END VALLEY STAY

McALLEN—Miss Belle McNear of San Antonio and George Durkee of Omaha, Nebr., who have been visiting Mrs. A. J. McColl, left Saturday to return to their respective homes.

RINCON HEARING SET

HARLINGEN—Hearing has been set for March 11 by the State Railroad Commission, on field rules for the Rincon field in Starr county, according to Associated Press dispatch from Austin.

IS OPERATED

MISSION—Rev. E. R. McWilliams returned late Monday from Temple where he had been the past ten days with Mrs. McWilliams who was operated on there last week. Mrs. McWilliams is recovering rapidly and will be able to return possibly late next week, he reported.

SPENDS WEEKEND

PHARR—A. J. Flowers of San Antonio, spent the week end here visiting his wife and children, returning to San Antonio, late Sunday.

DISMISSED FROM HOSPITAL

LA VILLA—Mrs. John D. George who recently was removed from the Mercedes General Hospital, to her home is reported to be convalescing nicely from an operation.

VISITS PARENTS

PHARR—Miss Ella Beth Melton, student at A. and I. College at Kingsville, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley T. Melton.

CLUB WILL MEET

RANGERVILLE—The Booster's Club of Rangerville will hold their next meeting on Friday, March 7, at 8:00 p.m. The program will be in charge of Randell Arnold.

FROM WYOMING

SAN JUAN — Sheriff and Mrs. Harold DeWitt of Torrington, Wyoming, arrived Thursday for a visit in the home of Mrs. J. W. Cameron and Mrs. J. T. Burton.

MOTHER, SON RETURN

SNTA ROSA—Mrs. H. M. Little and son, Milton, who have been visiting relatives in Weimar, Columbus, La Grange and Floresville have returned home.

WHITAKERS RETURN

PHARR — Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Whitaker returned Wednesday to make their home, following several months stay in San Antonio and Corpus Christi.

NEW MANAGER

ALAMO—Mrs. Ralph Tolles has taken over the management of the cafeteria at the Alamo grammar school starting this week.

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MUSICIAN OF NOTE VISITS

Carlos Chavez Pauses In Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE—Carlos Chavez, internationally famous composer, for some years director of the National Symphony Orchestra of Mexico, will pass through Brownsville by plane Sunday en route to New York where he has engagements as guest director of the best known symphony orchestras in this country.

Mr. Chavez, who is also an author of a number of books on music, is a brother of Engineer Eduardo Chavez of Matamoros, who is in charge of the flood control and irrigation works now being built along the border by Mexican government.

Guest Conductor

The famous musician will spend about two months in the United States as guest conductor of a number of famous orchestras, including the New York Philharmonic, the Philadelphia Symphony, the Chicago orchestra and several others, during the current season.

Mr. Chavez last year was guest conductor of the Philadelphia Symphony and won the highest praise of American critics as well as of the famed director of the Philadelphia orchestra, Leopoldo Stokowski. He has also conducted some of the most important symphony orchestras in Europe.

Following his tour in the United States, Mr. Chavez will leave for South America where he will appear as guest director of the leading orchestras on that continent.

As head of the National Symphony of Mexico, Mr. Chavez has built up an organization which is ranked among the best by critics everywhere. He has brought a number of world-famous conductors to the Mexican capital, as well as some of the best known soloists to perform with his orchestra.

Pioneer In Music

Mr. Chavez was for some time head of the fine arts department of the Federal Department of Education in Mexico and during that time laid the groundwork for important activities in the fields of music, the drama and the dance.

Several of his symphonies and ballet compositions have been performed by the leading orchestras in the United States, and he ranks as No. 1 among Mexican composers and one of the major creative music writers in the Western Hemisphere.

Mr. Chavez' work in the field of music is comparable in some respects to that of Diego Rivera in painting, particularly in his utilization of the native themes and Mexican background for his work.

One of the important activities of the Symphony Orchestra of Mexico has been to stimulate interest in good music and to acquaint the public with the world-famed classics in concerts performed without cost for audiences of labor union members and their families.

Medical Researches Find Heart Wounds Not Always Killing

WASHINGTON —(AP)— A wounded heart is not always fatal.

In a report in the journal of the District of Columbia medical society, Dr. I. A. Bigger, professor of surgery at the Medical College of Virginia, Richmond, reports that the lives of 17 out of 26 persons with stab wounds directly into the heart had been saved by prompt medical and surgical attention.

The heart is practically the toughest of human muscles, he declared, and even if it is badly cut or punctured by a bullet it will often keep beating while a clot forms to stop the flow of blood. If such cases are properly diagnosed and treated according to the severity of the injury many, if not a majority, can be saved.

Refuse Dump Blooms

NEW YORK —(AP)— Riker's Island, once called the largest refuse dump in the United States, is to become a garden spot. The New York park department has taken over a 50-acre tract for a tree nursery and expects it to yield 25,000 trees annually. Work is being done by short-term inmates of the Riker's Island prison.

G. H. PERKINS GOES

BROWNSVILLE—George H. Perkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Perkins of this city, left this week to join United States army forces in San Antonio.

He is 19 years of age and volunteered for three years' service with the U. S. army in the Philippine Islands.

RETURN TO HOUSTON

RAYMONDVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holloway left for their home in Houston after a brief visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Holloway.

Frank Holloway is announcer over KXYZ in Houston.

ON BUSINESS TRIP

DONNA—Walter G. Weaver and Walter G. Weaver, Jr., spent Wednesday and Thursday upstate on legal business.

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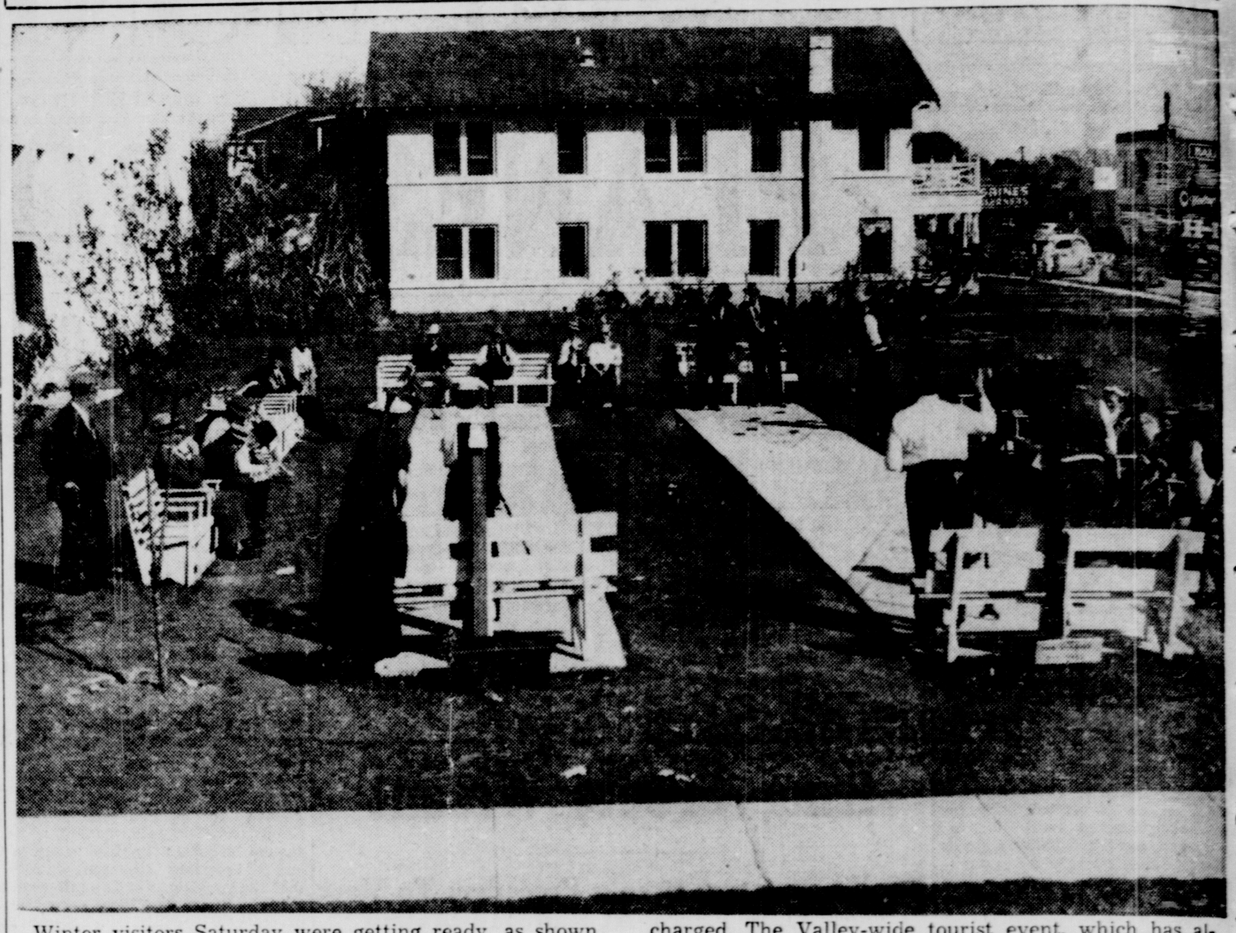

Winter visitors Saturday were getting ready, as shown above, for the shuffleboard tournament which will be a feature of Monday's big Tourist Round-Up, to be staged in Harlingen. The shuffleboard event will start the day's activities at 10 a. m. Monday, prizes being offered in each type of competition. No entry fee is charged. The Valley-wide tourist event, which has already drawn many reservation, is being sponsored by the Harlingen Tourist Club. Other events include 42, bridge, and 500 tournaments, with the day of fun being concluded with a dinner dance at the Madison Hotel. (Staff Photo.)

OBITUARY

MRS VIOLETTE DALTON

LA FERIA — Last rites will be held at the First Presbyterian church here Sunday at 3 p.m. for Mrs. Violette Dalton, 27, wife of Roger E. Dalton, who died Friday at 6 p.m. after a considerable illness.

Rev. Fred Hopkins, Presbyterian pastor, will officiate at the services. Burial will be at Mont Meta Burial Park, San Benito, under direction of Stotler-Burdette, Harlingen. Pall-Bearers will include Robert Beattie, Roland Post, Phil Murray, J. B. Smith, C. D. Ritter and Tom W. Starkey.

The body will lie in state at the church from 2 to 3 p.m.

Surviving are the husband; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Spies, La Feria; a brother, Robert V. Spies, La Feria; and a sister, Mrs. Jay Yost, San Benito.

A. E. BROOKS

SAN BENITO—Funeral services for A. E. Brooks, 72, a farmer on the San Benito tract for over 20 years, who died at his home Thursday night, will be held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the Clay Hall chapel here. Dr. Hugh Robertson, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, will officiate. Interment will be in Mont Meta cemetery.

Survivors include the wife; one sister, Mrs. J. W. Harrison of Seguin; and one brother, Dr. W. R. Brooks of Colfax, Wis.

Pallbearers will be Jim Francis, Roy Broson, Nat Brooks, R. C. Clark, Neely Newman and J. F. Mayfield.

Colorado Town Has No 'Potter's Field'

PUEBLO, Colo. —(AP)— There is no "Potter's field," traditional burial place for paupers, in Pueblo. City officials decided long ago that anyone who died here was entitled to "a good burial." Even transients who meet death beneath train wheels are buried in a purchased plot in a cemetery with a ceremony equal to those used in services which cost several hundred dollars.

RETURN FROM TRIP

RAYMONDVILLE — C. D. Gilland and C. E. Croswell returned Tuesday night from a business trip to Houston.

'American Peace' Is Subpoenaed By Dies For Quizz Tuesday

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Chairman Dies (D-Tex) of the House committee investigating un-American activities said Saturday that records of American Peace Mobilization, Inc., had been subpoenaed for a hearing Tuesday.

"We want to know," Dies said, "where they are getting their funds, and we want to know something of their membership."

He said one subpoena was issued to Mrs. Sarah V. Montgomery, secretary of the Washington chapter, and another had been issued recently for the records of the organization's Chicago chapter.

U. S. D. A. Laboratory Is Damaged By Fire

NEW ORLEANS —(AP)— Fire of undetermined origin Saturday extensively damaged the $1,500,000 Third (Southern) Regional Laboratory of the United States Department of Agriculture here but no immediate estimate of the loss could be obtained.

The fire was discovered at an early hour by a newsboy delivering the morning paper.

How 'Hoppin' John' Received Its Name

WASHINGTON, N. C. —(AP)—This being the season for "Hoppin John" the story is again being told of how the dish of hog jowl, peas and rice received its name. It seems that a sea captain in South Carolina had a fellow captain—named John—from North Carolina as a dinner guest. When hog jowl, peas and rice were set before the Tar Heel, his host remarked, "I don't know what it is but, hop in, John." It has been "Hoppin John" ever since.

Tenant Asks Court Who's His Landlord

HAVRE DE GRACE, Md. —(AP)—Curtis Kroh is running up a nice bank account, because he doesn't know who should get his rent money.

He went to court to learn whether he should pay it to three heirs of his late landlord, or to two other claimants of the landlord's estate. The case went to the appeals court, which remanded it for further hearings.

TIDE TABLE

In the following table is given the time under normal and ordinary meteorological conditions of high and low tides in the Pass and along the immediate coast during March, 1941.

	High Tides	Low Tides
March 2	6:10 a.m. 5:39 p.m.	11:57 a.m.
March 3	7:14 a.m. 5:57 p.m.	12:21 a.m. 12:43 p.m.
March 4	8:47 a.m. 6:11 p.m.	1:15 a.m. 1:44 p.m.
March 5	10:37 a.m.	2:15 a.m.
March 6	11:57 a.m.	3:17 a.m.
March 7	12:46 p.m.	4:20 a.m.
March 8	1:23 p.m.	5:21 a.m.
March 9	1:55 p.m. 11:42 p.m.	6:17 a.m. 7:40 p.m.
March 10	2:25 p.m.	7:05 a.m. 7:54 p.m.
March 11	12:47 a.m. 2:53 p.m.	7:52 a.m. 8:18 p.m.
March 12	1:47 a.m. 3:25 p.m.	8:36 a.m. 8:48 p.m.
March 13	2:47 a.m. 3:46 p.m.	9:21 a.m. 9:25 p.m.
March 14	3:49 a.m. 4:12 p.m.	10:07 a.m. 10:07 p.m.
March 15	4:30 a.m. 4:38 p.m.	10:58 a.m. 10:55 p.m.
March 16	5:53 a.m. 5:05 p.m.	11:54 a.m. 11:51 p.m.
March 17	7:04 a.m. 5:32 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
March 18	8:33 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	12:53 a.m. 2:22 p.m.
March 19	10:15 a.m.	2:00 a.m.
March 20	11:38 a.m.	3:13 a.m.
March 21	12:36 p.m.	4:30 a.m.
March 22	1:20 p.m. 11:29 p.m.	5:46 a.m. 7:37 p.m.
March 23	1:55 p.m.	6:51 a.m. 8:00 p.m.
March 24	12:36 a.m. 2:21 p.m.	7:42 a.m. 8:20 p.m.
March 25	1:34 a.m. 2:42 p.m.	8:26 a.m. 8:40 p.m.
March 26	2:26 a.m. 3:02 p.m.	9:03 a.m. 9:00 p.m.
March 27	3:14 a.m. 3:21 p.m.	9:35 a.m. 9:21 p.m.
March 28	3:58 a.m. 3:40 p.m.	10:08 a.m. 9:47 p.m.
March 29	4:41 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	10:40 a.m. 10:15 p.m.
March 30	5:25 a.m. 4:19 p.m.	11:15 a.m. 10:49 p.m.
March 31	6:10 a.m. 4:35 p.m.	12:00 noon 11:28 p.m.

If 130 odd people are laid end to end, it is a normal United States motorists' week-end.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

Texas Flier Killed In Crash On Coast

SAN DIEGO, Calif.—(AP)—James Elmore Spillman, 23, army air corps cadet flier from Lancaster, Tex., was killed Friday in the crash of a training plane he was piloting.

Spillman's instructor, William E. Clark, a civilian, parachuted to safety from the plane after it went into a spin. Clark said that he gave Spillman instructions to jump, but that the student evidently was unable to leave the cockpit in time.

G. E. Hires 16,000

SCHENECTADY, N. Y. — (AP) — Defense contracts totalling $350,000,000 have given employment in General Electric Company plants to 16,000 new workers in the past six months, a company official said Saturday.

RETURNS FROM TRIP

SAN JUAN—H. D. Munal returned Friday from a business trip to Del Rio.

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Grilled Deep Sea Snapper Steak, Hoteliere
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Roast Young Turkey, Special Dressing, Cranberries
Grilled Fancy Lamb Chops on Toast, Mint Jelly
K. C. Choice Beef Steak a la Minute, Sizzling
Creamed Diced Chicken, Mushrooms, Newberg
Omelette with Fresh Strawberries, Glace
Baked Sugar Cured Ham, Champagne Sauce
VEGETABLES
Green Asparagus Hollandaise Long John Beans Savory
Cabaret, Creamed New, Fried Sweets or Idaho Baked Potato
Biltmore Salad
DESSERTS
Pineapple Cream Layer Cake, Apple
Cherry, Blueberry or Egg Nog Pie with Whipped Cream
Fruit Jello, Cup Custard, Preserved Figs, Green Gage Plums
Butterscotch Fudge Sundae, Strawberry Parfait
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TOURS, OTHER EVENTS READY FOR TOURISTS

Fishing Trips Planned From Upper Valley

McALLEN—Fishing excursions, a Rubinoff violin concert and Hobby Club tours will be enjoyed this week by tourists in McAllen and surrounding territory.

Monday the advanced Spanish class meets at 9 a.m. At 10 a.m., shuffleboard players will play in a tourist round-up contest at Harlingen and at 1 p.m., the bridge and domino players will enter the competition in the tourists club room in the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel. At 2 p.m., Mrs. C. D. Baker, program chairman has announced a tour to Pharr to view a butterfly collection; 4 p.m., conducted tour to Reynosa with a wild game dinner. Tuesday at 9 a.m., meeting of the beginners Spanish club and at 2 p.m. the regular game party in the club room.

Wednesday offers a new boat trip up the Brownsville channel with lunch at the Brownsville Yacht Club, and fishing during the afternoon. Registrations must be made by Monday at 5 p.m. There will be games in the club room all day. Rubinoff and his violin will be at the junior high school auditorium at 8 p.m. under Kiwanis Club auspices.

Thursday the advanced Spanish class in the club room at 9 a.m.; games in the club room in the afternoon, will meet 7:30, the regular tourist party with a dance review for the entertainment; Friday, regular Spanish class at 9 a.m. and games in the afternoon.

Saturday at 1 p.m., there will be a tour of the Upper Valley.

CELAYA GIVES HOUSE BILLS

Seven Parks Acts Go To Legislature

BROWNSVILLE—Seven bills designed to greatly stimulate creation of new state parks have been introduced in the Legislature at Austin by State Rep. Augustine Celaya, Brownsville.

The bills are aimed at giving the state park board specific control of operation and regulation of the parks, to purchase park sites, to protect park preserves, and to operate concessions such as restaurants and refreshment stands.

Representative Celaya also introduced a measure, on request of the State Department of Agriculture, defining commercial quantities of sweet potatoes as being 400 pounds or more.

Following are th state park bills:

680. Empowering state parks board to purchase park sites.

681. Empowering state parks board to acquire for park purposes areas within conservation districts

682. Requiring consent of caretaker before taking fish from waters of any public park controlled by state parks board.

683. Prohibiting molesting of wild life on state parks.

684. Establishing a twenty-mile speed limit in state parks.

685. Prohibiting sale or consumption of alcoholic beverages in state parks.

686. Granting state parks board right to operate concessions on park sites.

Russia Protests

Propaganda Seized By Postal Men?

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Soviet Russia has lodged a protest with the State Department against seizure of mail from Russia allegedly containing Soviet propaganda.

State Department officials said Saturday the protest came from Constantine Oumansky, the Soviet ambassador, in recent conferences with Undersecretary Sumner Welles. No details were made public.

Postmaster-General Walker announced February 21 that more than 75,000 pieces of foreign propaganda mail had been seized by postal authorities during the past two months, most of which originated in Russia and Germany.

Fishing Champion Returns To Home

BROWNSVILLE—G. S. Perkins, champion bass catcher of Ellis county, left this week with Mrs. Perkins for their home in Ennis, Tex., after spending a week here with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Perkins.

Mr. Perkins caught a 7 1-2-pound bass, the largest of the season, in Ellis county, and intended to try salt water angling at Brownsville ship channel, but was thwarted by unfavorable weather. He expressed his intention of returning later this year for the sport.

Auto Tags Drain On Some Folks' Wallets

NEW BRITAIN, Conn. —(AP)— Some folks must have spent their last cent obtaining 1941 automobile registrations.

Three purses were found in the motor vehicles department office here after the last day rush ended, all empty.

Randolph Man Killed

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Graduation from Randolph field but a half month away, Flying Cadet R. Reed, 24, of San Bernardino, Calif., crashed to his death in his basic training plane near here Friday night.

Houston Symphony Orchestra Last On Civic Music List For 1941

Pictured above is the 77-piece Houston Symphony Orchestra, which will be presented in concert at the Harlingen municipal auditorium on March 27. The concert will be the last for the season sponsored by the Valley Civic Music Association, which Monday begins one-week membership campaign for the 1941 concert season. The orchestra, in addition to its evening concert here, will present a special matinee concert March 27 for Valley school band members.

ARMY TO GET FIRST ROADS

Texas Counties Get No Encouragement

AUSTIN —(AP)— With military roads holding first draw on the state's highway funds, delegations seeking road improvements got little encouragement from the State Highway Commission at the monthly hearing Saturday.

Representatives from four counties appeared with requests, and each heard in reply "shortage of funds," but were assured all applications would receive full consideration.

Explaining all federal aid must be used for strategic highways in the military network, Chairman Brady Gentry said many road improvements now badly needed would probably not "even get started for 15 years."

Widening and paving of State Highway 36 in Rosenberg was asked by a Fort Bend county delegation. Representatives of Wichita and Clay counties requested designation and construction of a road from Wichita Falls to Charlie and Byers.

WPA Worker With $4 In His Pocket Begins Long Search Afoot For His Unknown Parents In Wintry West

JOHNSTOWN Pa. —(AP)—Fortified by his capital of $4 and a boast that "I'm used to knocking around," a young WPA worker said Saturday he would start Monday on a 1,500 mile hitchhiking trip through the wintry middlewest—on another lap of his search for the parents he has never known.

"And if I don't succeed I'll go farther — anywhere," declared John Sandor, Jr., 26. "Maybe I'll go hungry, but that's nothing. I'll never quit."

Sandor bears the name of the foster-father, who adopted him from a Pittsburgh orphanage in 1915 when he was an infant. He doesn't even know the names of his real parents. The only clue to their identity was orphanage records lost from a shirt-pocket of the elder Sandor when the shirt was sent to the wash in 1916.

"I've always been worrying and wondering who my mother and father were," the young man said. "I want them—whether rich or ragged. Good or bad."

Hookworm infection is a serious health problem in South America.

Big Bend Park Said Lure For Tourists

ALPINE, Tex.—(AP)—The Big Bend National Park was pictured Saturday by Dr. H. W. Morelock, president of Sul Ross State Teachers College, as a magnet to lure tourist dollars into Texas trade channels.

"Regardless of what forms taxes take the money with which to pay them must come from the trade, channels of the state," Dr. Morelock, who is vice president of the Texas Big Bend Park Association, said in an interview.

NEW BUILDING TOTA LLISTED

$25,000 Is February Mark In McAllen

McALLEN—New construction in McAllen during February totaled $25,016, with the largest of the 15 building permits issued to Rev. Father Charles Buckley for a construction of a $6,000 Catholic Church.

Construction totaled less than half of the building done here during February, 1940, when permits soared to $54,437, City Inspector C. C. Eckhoff said. The decrease was $29,421.

Permits issued included: Residences, J. E. Habermann, $2,500; Gus Guerra, $1,750; Felipe Senda, $50; Herminio Delgado, $100; Guadalupe Rodriguez, $300; Antonio Rodriguez, $50; Amado Garcia, $125; Jay Lake, $200; Julia de Diaz, $90; Eva A. Chappell, $250; garages, E. B. Ogden, $70; Martin Vargas, $30; additions, Jay Lake, $100; Eva Cantu, $25.

RETURN TO COMBES

COMBES—Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wilson have moved back in Combes to the house they formerly occupied.

U. S. Navy May Hike Strength To 300,000

WASHINGTON— (AP) —A prediction that Congress would be asked within a few days to increase the navy's strength to 300,000 men was made Saturday by the Army and Navy Register.

The service publication said that this increase from the present force of about 220,000 would suffice only for the remainder of the year. The navy already has estimated that 500,000 men will be required for the prospective two-ocean fleet, due to be completed in 1944 or 1946.

Italians Give Version Of Recapture Of Castelrosso

ROME — (AP) — The Italian high command told Saturday of a victory over an "imposing" force of British which, it was said, went to great pains to seize the tiny island of Castelrosso off Turkey's southwest coast only to be ejected.

(The British said Friday their forces "accomplished their object" and withdrew.)

The Italians, mentioning events on the four-mile-square island in the Dodecanese for the first time, gave this as their version:

Mobilizing an "expeditionary force," with "naval formations" and warplanes, the British bombed and hammered the island on February 25 until they had overcome the small garrison of "soldiers and sailors" who held it for Italy.

But that was only a temporary victory for the British, the high command said. Three days later several small Italian torpedo boats, with "effective aid" of the air force, landed a party which "rapidly destroyed the British garrison," took possession of prisoners, arms, munitions and a British flag, and restored Italian rule.

48 MEETINGS ARE HELD IN NEW C. OF C. BUILDING

McALLEN—During the 28 days of February, 48 meetings were held in the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building, besides numerous conferences for transaction of routine business, and the registration of over 500 tourists, a report by chamber officials Saturday revealed. The officials expressed their appreciation to citizens for making the building possible and thanked all donors of chairs to the new auditorium.

The reports showed that among the 48 meetings were one regional exhibit, two conventions, one farm women's meeting, five chamber of commerce meetings, four city club meetings and 11 committee eetings. The remainder were tourist meetings. The greatest number of meetings held on any one day was five.

IN BROWNSVILLE

PHARR—Mrs. O. E. Avery visited friends and attended the showing of "Virginia" in Brownsville Thursday night.

Free French Forces Team With British

LONDON — (AP) — "Free French" headquarters announced Saturday that a field battalion of their forces from the Chad territory now was aiding British in operations against Cheren, Eritrea, and that it had participated in the capture of Cubcub, north of Cheren, seizing 400 prisoners and three guns.

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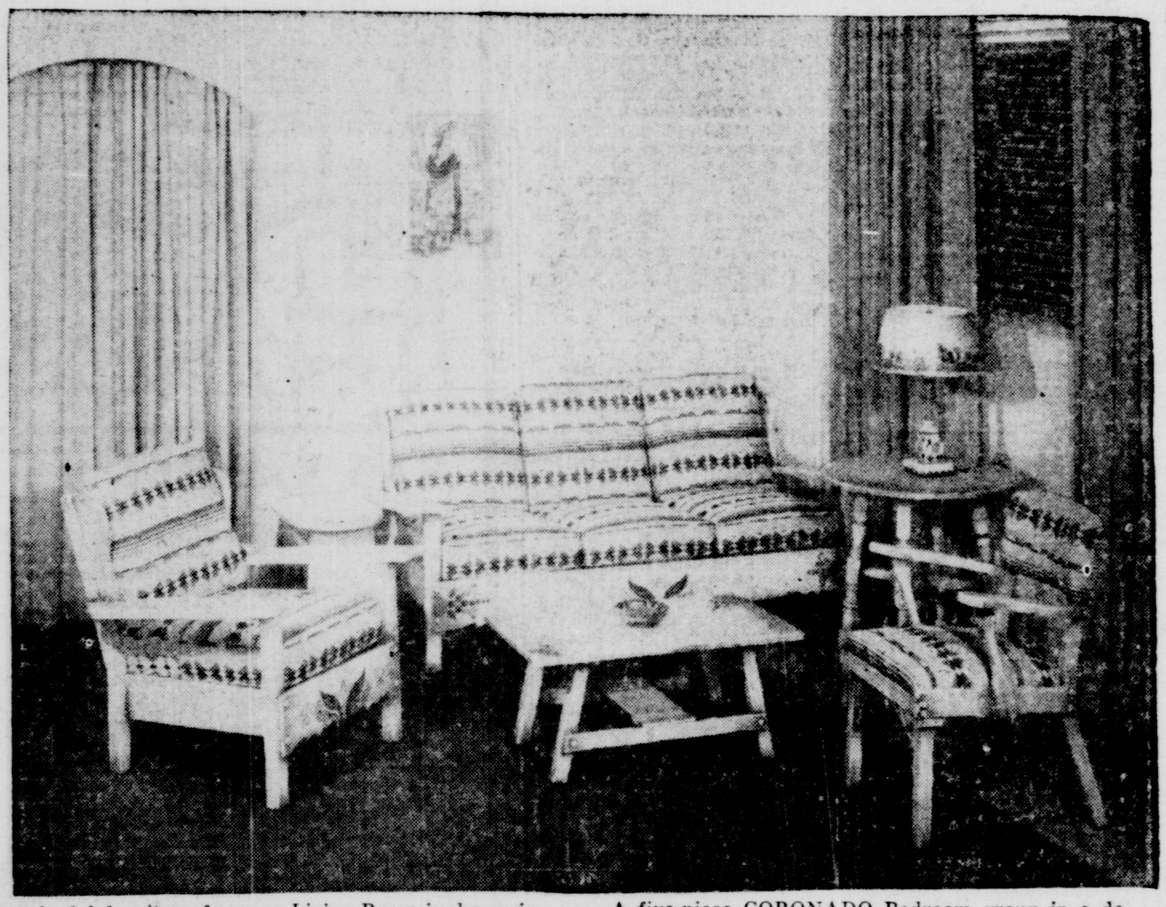

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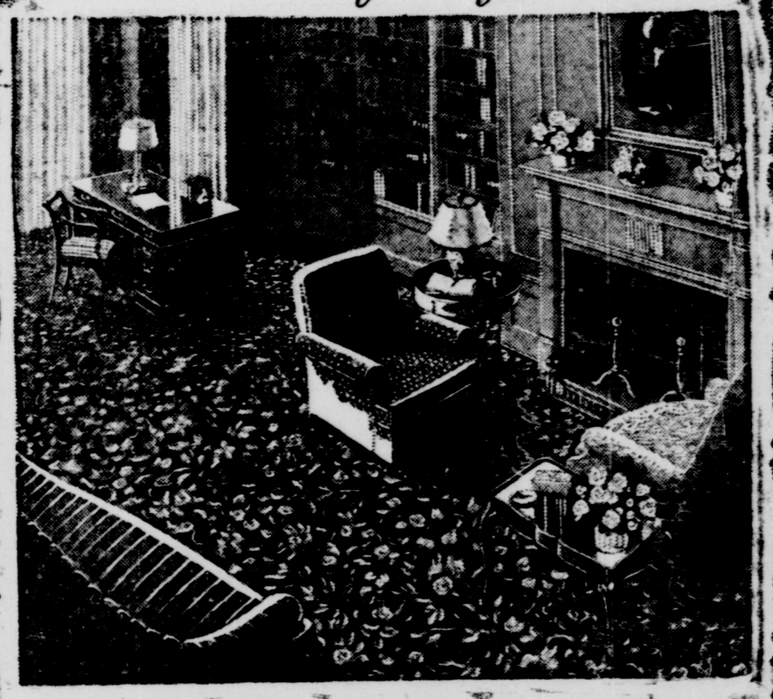

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Interpreting The War News

Nazis To Risk All?

Hitler May Want To Avoid Another 'War Winter' And Open Offensive Now

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

The month of March, reputed in respect to weather to go out like a lamb when it comes in like a lion, does not seem destined to live up to that reputation so far as events of the European war are concerned.

It has come in like a lion with tension high in the Balkans and Germany reporting sea-war successes against Britain. It bids fair to go out roaring with action certainly in the Atlantic and possibly also in the Balkans and the far Pacific.

Germany reached her high-water mark in the World War in March 1918. The Kaiser's armies all but cut the French and British apart on the west front in that spring drive. They risked everything on that final offensive in the hope of avoiding another war winter for Germany.

There is good reason to believe now that Berlin is prepared to risk all on the Hitler-pledged great sea attack on England for precisely the same reason. Another war winter in the strangling grip of the British blockade could threaten the Nazi regime with internal disintegration if British and neutral economists gauge German food and oil resources right.

Germany "Prepared"

Nazi leaders from Hitler down have said repeatedly that they are prepared for a war of any duration. Months ago, however, Americans back home from Berlin told this writer of their doubts on that score.

They saw possibilities of an uprising in Germany only distantly. It depended, they believed, on either of two factors.

Even iron-fisted Nazi suppression at home could not avert serious rumblings of discontent, they believed, if the German army sustained a disastrous defeat. They felt certain that it was fear of just such a defeat that withheld a German attempt to invade England last summer or early fall when other conditions seemed right for the attempt.

The other factor which could undermine Hitler at home, they believed, was a grave food shortage; but they saw no prospect that it could develop before the winter of 1941-42. American economists who give close attention to the present or predictable food situation in Germany or on the European continent seem to share that opinion.

Scarcity Of Fats

There is before the writer a recapitulation from authoritative sources of the German food situation as of today so far as it is known. There are many missing or incalculable factors, but it seems clear that the general mass of Nazi citizenry is now suffering from lack of the same fats for diet purposes that drove the German people of 1918 to revolt against the Kaiser.

DICK STOUT BOOKED HERE

Attorney Speaks At Friday Rotary

DICK STOUT

HARLINGEN—Dick Stout, Dallas motion picture counsel and former assistant attorney general of Texas, will address the Harlingen Rotary Club Friday, March 7, speaking on the subject, "National Defense and the Motion Picture Industry."

To accompany his talk, Stout will set up a complete sound-equipped motion picture unit, and will show a timely program of patriotic films.

Spoke At Camp Bowie

Stout recently delivered his address to over 500 officers and men at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, in the Army tent theatre. Following the talk, Sout showed a National Defense aviation program, consisting of films dealing with America's air corps and Britain's R.A.F. The program received praise from Major General Claud V. Birkhead, 36th Division and Camp Bowie commander, who was present with his entire staff.

Stout is well known throughout the Lower Rio Grande Valley and has been closely identified with the citrus industry. He served as assistant attorney general during the last two years of Attorney General McCraw's tenure, and was retained by Attorney General Mann when he took office. Stout remained with Mann a year and five months before resigning to specialize in motion picture law.

Interstate Attorney

During first few months of Attorney General Mann's administration, Stout represented the department of agriculture in minimum price litigation. After several months in all sections of the Valley, Stout returned to Austin and made several addresses on the beauty and natural advantages of the Valley.

He has just returned from New York where he attended meeting of the executive committee of the motion picture committee cooperating for National Defense, theatre division. Stout is attorney for Interstate Circuit Inc. and Texas Consolidated Theatres Inc. The executive committee is composed of outstanding picture exhibitors of the United States. While in New York, Stout was a guest at the Recruiting Publicity Bureau of the U. S. Army at Governor's Island, where he discussed cooperation of motion picture industry and national defense with Army officials.

Houston To Memphis Airline Route Open

HOUSTON—(AP)—A Houston-to-Memphis air route was opened Saturday with the departure of a 21-passenger Chicago and Southern Air Lines plane, the City of Houston, at 8:30 a.m.

A brief ceremony, in which a ribbon across the plane door was snipped, preceded the take-off.

Fort Myer Barracks Destroyed By Fire

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The interior of a half century old brick barracks at nearby Fort Myer, Va., was destroyed Saturday by fire, which was kept from spreading to other buildings by apparatus summoned from the national capitol.

The barracks housed 160 men of Battery C, 16th Field Artillery, all of whom escaped injury.

Closed Fish Season Bill Becomes A Law

AUSTIN—(AP)—A bill providing a closed season on certain fish in Lake Waco, the Bosque river and tributaries in McLennan, Brazos and Hamilton counties became law Saturday when it was filed in the secretary of state's office without the governor's signature. Rep. Gordon Davis of Waco was the bill's author.

San Antonio Priest Succumbs Saturday

AUSTIN—(AP)—The body of the Rev. Paul Joseph Foik, CSC, 60, dean of arts and letters and librarian at St. Edward's University here, lay in state at the University Saturday night.

The noted Catholic scholar and historian died early Saturday of a heart disease.

Forty-Fifth Division Moves To Texas

All morning long, February 28, this was the scene at Fort Sill, Okla., as 1100 trucks rolled out in convoys transporting some 10,000 men of the Forty-Fifth Division to their new headquarters at Camp Barkeley, Abilene, Tex. Convoys rolled out from daylight until after noon.

Interesting Origins Of Familiar Expressions We Use

By FRANK COLBY

FACE THE MUSIC. I have found three theories as to how this expression originated. 1. It is of theatrical origin, first being used by actors, who were nervously preparing to go before the footlights and literally face the music (the orchestra or the pianist). 2. It is traced to the military formation. The soldier, in full equipment, stands at attention and faces the music. 3. At a military execution, the condemned one is made to stand facing both the firing squad and the "music," i.e., the bugler or the drum and bugle corps.

MAKE NO BONES. It is said that this expression originated in England with people living on the coast. Eating their fish in haste, they declared that they "made no bones" about it; that is, they disregarded the bones.

A COON'S AGE. A coon's age is an indefinite length of time, such as the number of years a raccoon may be expected to live. There is no connection with the vulgarism "coon," a derisive term for Negro.

BURY THE HATCHET. In pioneer days, the tomahawk was a favorite weapon of both Indian and settler. It also was used by the Indians as a ceremonial symbol. They buried the hatchet when they made peace, and dug it up again on the breaking out of war.

IN CAHOOTS. Cahoots is a corruption of COHORTS, members of a company or bands; hence, those who have the same interest or who seek a common objective, as "we are in cahoots, together," for "we are cohorts."

GO TO BLAZES. Blazes is simply a euphemism for the infernal regions, or for the devil. "He looked, upon my word, like Old Blazes himself, with his clothing all on fire."—Southern Literary Messenger, 1849.

KICK THE BUCKET. It is believed that this expression originated in the gaol of former centuries. The prison cell contained a bucket and a pallet as the only furnishings. The despondent prisoner who desired suicide circled his neck with his belt, which had been fastened to an uppar bar of the door. Then, by kicking the bucket from beneath his feet, he managed to hang himself.

A NUMBER ONE. In the days of the sailing vessel, Lloyds of London used letters and numerals in rating the insurability of ships. A-1 marked a ship as the best type of "risk."

RED TAPE. This expression had its origin in the custom in public offices of tying up documents with red tape. Later, when it was necessary to consult the documents, the tape made the work slow and disagreeable. The expression has long been known. Dickins used it in "David Copperfield": "Skewered through and through with office pens, and bound hand and foot with red tape."

THE DOLLAR MARK. There are two logical theories as to how the dollar mark originated. The first explanation is that $ is a simple monogram made by combining the letters U. S. It was used to distinguish American coins from the Spanish coins which circulated extensively in the young republic. The second theory is that $ evolved from the Mexican sign Ps for pesos or piastres (pieces of eight) which were widely used before the adoption of the United States dollar in 1785.

P'S and Q'S. In the old taverns, a record was kept of the liquor purchases of guests by tallying the pints and quarts as they were imbibed. Seasoned travelers minded their P's and Q's carefully in order that they might not be overcharged.

PULL THE WOOL. According to De Vere (1871): "To 'pull wool over the eyes,' as is done to make sheep go into the water or into the pen where they are to be shorn, means proverbially to blind one's judgment." HOODWINK refers to the hood with which falcons were blinded and rendered tractable.

NOSE TO THE GRINDSTONE. This is an allusion to the toilsome hours a farmer must spend in the spring to sharpen on the grindstone the various cutting implements of the farm. The word "grind," in the meaning of a long, monotonous task, has the same origin. A man who had "an axe to grind," and who possessed no grindstone of his own, would make what apparently was a purely social call on a neighbor for the purpose of having his axe ground without cost.

The expression is an old one. "Special legislation in behalf of private interests is one of the curses of this country. The number of axes which are taken to the various state capitols, to be ground at the public expense, is perfectly enormous."—New York Tribune, March 23, 1871.

HOUSTON NEWS EDITOR QUITS

M. E. Foster Founder Of Chronicle

HOUSTON—(AP)—M. E. Foster, editor emeritus and columnist of The Houston Press and former editor and publisher of The Houston Chronicle, retired Saturday.

His retirement ended a lively 45-year career in Houston, which started when he came here from Huntsville as a $10-a-week reporter.

Young Marcellus Foster's first job in Houston was on the Houston Post. In three years he was managing editor. During his tenure in that position he covered the great Galveston flood.

Founds Chronicle

One year after that disaster, the first edition of the Houston Chronicle rolled off the presses. Foster had raised $25,000 to start the paper, which was to play an important part in city and state life.

Success came quickly to Foster and The Chronicle. He drew attenten with his sharp writings under the name "Mefo"—taken from his first two initials and the first two letters of his surname.

Fought Ku lux

He fought the Ku Klux Klan for five years.

On June 26, 1926, Foster retired as editor and publisher of The Chronicle, selling his stock to Jesse Jones, present secretary of commerce.

He joined the Houston Press as editor emeritus four years ago. He will retain the latter title, although he will not write for the paper any longer.

California Tops

FHA State Building Totals Listed

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Federal Housing Administration reported Saturday that California led the nation in new home construction under the FHA system last year, accounting for nearly one-fifth of the 162,333 mortgages valued at $721,462,431, which were insured in 1940.

The California totals were 30,943 mortgages worth $131,715,900.

The FHA also reported this number of mortgages insured and their aggregate value in other states:

Oklahoma, 3,024 and $11,668,850; Texas, 10,626 and $40,756,550.

Cleaning Agent For Defense Metal Told

CLEVELAND—(AP)—Development of a new cleansing agent which is expected to double the life of certain strategic defense metals was reported Saturday by a Wyandotte, Mich., research chemist.

Aluminum and light metal alloys used in airplane and anti-aircraft shell manufacture are given greater protection against corrosion by bathing them in the cleaning solution, Dr. Thomas R. Vaughn asserted in an interview.

Dr. Rainey Stresses Economic Awakening

AUSTIN—(AP)—Decrying the slowness of Texas and the south in realizing the area's potentialities, Dr. Homer P. Rainey, president of the University of Texas, urged an "economic awakening" in an address to several hundred alumni at a Texas Independence Day banquet here Saturday night.

Wage-Hour Talk On Radio Is Scheduled

HARLINGEN—Gus C. Street Jr., of Dallas, regional director, Wage and Hour Division, U. S. Department of Labor, will speak over KRGV at Weslaco at 1:30 p.m. Sunday on the Wage and Hour Law as Affecting the Citrus Industry."

WEST VIRGINIA GUEST

SAN BENITO—Mrs. Marie Fitch has as her guest for a month's stay, her niece, Mrs. Raymond Shane of Keyser, W. Va.

Producing Wells In Texas Total 95,660

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texas now has 95,660 producing oil wells, a gain of 72 in the past week, the State Railroad Commission reported Saturday.

The commission estimated that actual Texas production this week averaged 1,304,479 barrels a day, or 22,921 below the Bureau of Mines recommendation for March.

Defense Creates Big Hike In Living Cost

SAN BENITO—Rehearsals are under way of the De Molay's old-fashioned melodrama, "He Ain't Done Right by Nell" and several vaudeville skits that are to be staged at the American Legion hall on March 13, 14 and 15. Miss Margaret Conrardy is directing the show.

Senate Votes Probe Of Defense Program

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Senate voted unanimously Saturday to undertake an investigation of the defense program. The inquiry will be made by a committee of seven senators, to be appointed by the vice president.

Proposals for a similar House investigation are pending in that branch.

Cancer Parley

Mrs. Volney Taylor Goes To Austin

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Volney W. Taylor of Brownsville, state commander and regional deputy commander of the Women's Field Army of the American Society for the Control of Cancer, is to confer Sunday morning in Austin with the cancer committee of the State Medical Association.

Purpose of the meeting is to discuss revisions of a bill providing appropriations for a state hospital for indigent cancer patients.

Mrs. Taylor returned here Saturday morning from Houston where she spent Friday assisting Mrs. John T. Moore, captain of Harris county, in formation of a unit of the WFA of ASCC. She was to leave Saturday by train for Austin.

CRASH INJURES FIVE

BOWIE, Tex.—(AP)—Four of five young women who were injured in an automobile accident near Sunset Sunday night remained in a hospital here Monday night.

MOBILITY OF ARMY SHOWN

Camp Barkeley Move Without Hitch

By DAVE CHEAVENS

(See Picture at Left)

ABILENE—(AP)—Transfer of 10,500 troops of the 45th Division from Fort Sill, Okla., to Camp Barkeley here without an injury or mishap demonstrates the "strategical mobility" of a modern motorized division, Major General W. S. Key said Saturday.

'Splendid Training'

The commanding general of the division made up of southwestern soldiers said the chief significance of the swap in camps lay in its value as "splendid training, giving us an opportunity to show how more than half a division can pick up and move, bag and baggage, more than 200 miles without a hitch."

"The convoy came through on schedule and without a scratch," he said. "It reflects credit on the men and on their supervising officers. When our entire allowance of motorized equipment is received, we will be able to move the entire division under our own power by the shuttle process. We moved yesterday with eight-elevenths of our own motors.

"The men are in fine physical condition and they like to work. This training camp is well-suited to field work, and they will get plenty of it."

He asked that visitors postpone inspecting the camp for a week or so until construction is further along and until the troops can adjust themselves here. He pointed out that in addition to approximately 13,000 troops in camp, Sunday there will be 6,000 workmen on hand.

Indiana counts only men over 21 in distributing legislative seats.

REVENUERS PLAY SNOWMEN TO NAB MOONSHINE CORN

RICHMOND, Va.—(AP)—T. P. Duggan and T. F. Casey mushed through the pre-dawn snowstorm. At Goddin Street they fell prone and the wind-swept flakes covered them like two lonely hillocks.

A man came out of a house and passed the snow mounds without a backward glance as he made his way to a thicket.

Then T. P. Duggan and T. F. Casey arose from the snow and as alert operatives of the State Liquor Control Board laid hands on the man and charged him with the possession of 194 half-gallon jars of moonshine corn.

C. C. Finished

Final Work Scheduled On Structure

McALLEN—All construction work on the McAllen chamber of commerce building is expected to be completed by the end of the week, officials said Saturday.

The new auditorium and original structure are being painted a cream color.

The cost of the new construction and remodeling the old building will be between $4,500 and $5,000, officials said. The cost will exceed estimates because improvements were made to the old building and a new roof was put on the structure.

Part of the auditorium has been partitioned to enclose an office for the chamber manager and a committee meeting room.

VISIT IN BROWNSVILLE

PHARR — Mrs. Lena Britten is visiting with friends in Brownsville this week.

MASONIC MEET TO DRAW MANY

Several Districts To Be Represented

McALLEN—Officials of the McAllen Masonic lodge said Saturday that replies and reports from Masons of other Texas districts and the grand lodge of Tamaulipas, indicates that a large number will be on hand here Friday, March 7, at the annual Valley-wide meeting of the 40th district, which will also mark the 25th anniversary of the founding of the McAllen lodge.

Replies have been received from the 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd and 120th districts and from the Tamaulipaas lodge.

Past grand masters who will attend are W. Madden Fly, Gonzalez, chairman of the foreign correspondence; Wallace Hugh Stone, McKinney, and Leo Lockwood, Waco.

Other officials who will be present are George H. Belew, grand secretary, Waco; Rogers Kelley, Edinburg, grand senior warden, and Sam B. Cantey, Jr., grand master of the Texas lodge, who will make the principal address.

The Masons will gather at the McAllen high school athletic field at 6 p. m. for a barbecue and at 8 p. m. will meet at the junior high school for the tiled session.

STUDENT VISITING

McALLEN—Fred Taylor, student at the University of Texas, is spending the week-end visiting friends here.

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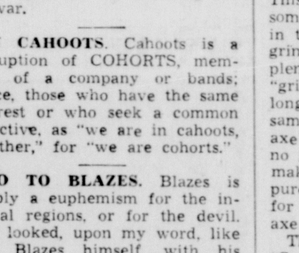

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46 BUSINESS FIRMS ENTER SAFETY MOVE

McAllen Lions Club Sponsors Drive

McALLEN — Forty-six McAllen firms had joined the Lions Club sponsored traffic safety drive Saturday to make McAllen a really safe city.

Firms desiring to enter the contest have until March 5 to fill out blanks, H. B. Gabbert, chairman of the Lions safety committee, said. The McAllen Chamber of Commerce safety committee is cooperating in the campaign to enroll every firm in the city to assist with the drive.

A total of 366 employees were listed among the cooperating firms. Awards will be given to the firms who on March 1, 1942 present a perfect safety record. Individuals connected with the firms will be given safe driver awards, Gabbert explained.

Since Hidalgo county, with 68 traffic deaths, rates third in the state in the number of traffic deaths for 1940, this drive will undoubtedly save many lives by the safety program now under way, G. M. Taylor, chairman of the chamber's safety committee, said.

"Driver training pays big dividends in savings, not only in life but expensive repair costs," he said. "It is the campaign's objective to obtain a perfect driving score by the elimination of traffic accidents with the hope that their project will become county-wide in effect."

Firms who have signed for the campaign are Martin and Martin Garage, Brown Express, McAllen Moving and Transfer, City State Bank and Trust Company, McAllen Motor, Railway Express, Kreidler's, Western Auto, McAllen Coca Cola, Goodrich, Carpenter Chevrolet, Rado Refinery, Edelstein Better Furniture, O'Neal Specialty, Polk Motor, Borderland Hardware, Crawford Construction, Grisham Ice Cream, Valley Evening Monitor,

McAllen Ice, Valley Dr. Pepper, Martin-Nelson, Red Arrow, Rio Grande Valley Gas Company, Kemble Oil, Lack's Tire and Supply, Brogdex, Boggus Motor, Valley Pipeline, Western Union, Southern Pacific Railroad, Retail Merchants, Jones Motor Freight, Vine's Furniture, A. B. C. Cab, Troy Cleaning, C. R. Anthony Company, Robinson Truck Lines, Maytag, Folsom Floral, Valley Mercantile, Palmer Drug, Central Power and Light Company, chamber of commerce, Young's Drug and the Alamo Freight Lines.

New Labor Head

Fidel Velazquez To Replace Toledano

MEXICO CITY—(AP)—Fidel Velazquez was elected by acclamation to succeed Vicente Lombardo Toledano as secretary-general of the Confederation of Mexican Workers Saturday during the concluding session of the CTM's second national congress.

Regarded as more conservative than his predecessor, Velazquez was expected to chart a middle-of-the-road course for the CTM in contrast to the frank leftist trend under Lombardo Toledano. For this reason, Velazquez was described as acceptable to conservative President Avila Camacho who told the delegates Friday they must "undertake a considered revision of their methods, precedures and objectives."

Russian Purchases For Domestic Uses

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The State Department announced Saturday that Constantine Oumansky, the Soviet ambassador, had informed Undersecretary Welles that all goods being purchased in this country were for the exclusive use of domestic industry in Soviet Russia.

Oumansky's promise, which was interpreted as providing assurance that none of the goods shipped to Russia are being transshipped to Germany, was made during the course of discussions during the day with the undersecretary.

Woman, 3 Tots Burn In Gasoline Blast

ORCHARD, Colo.—(AP)—A woman and three of her children were burned to death Saturday despite the mother's frantic efforts to save them.

Her clothing ignited when gasoline exploded in a downstairs kitchen, Mrs. Earl Butters, 36, disregarded her own danger and dashed upstairs to the children's bedroom. She and her children, Marion, 2, Dean, 6, and Glen, 4, were trapped and burned to death.

La Feria Couple Is Wed In Brownsville

DEL MAR—Del Mar had a pair of newlyweds as guests Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Moore of La Feria.

Mrs. Moore was Miss Mildred White of La Feria prior to her marriage Saturday noon at the Presbyterian church in Brownsville.

They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Twitchell here.

Moore is well-known as the sales manager of the Interstate Fruit and Vegetable Company at La Feria.

To Puerto Rico Job

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Major General James L. Collins, commander of the army's second division at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., was assigned Saturday to command the Puerto Rican department.

GO TO BEAUMONT

McALLEN—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wilson will leave Sunday for Beaumont. He was formerly chief operator at the Palace Theatre.

Weslaco Boys Win First Places

These are the Weslaco boys who as a team won first place at the cattle and swine judging contests sponsored by the Edouch-Elsa chapter, Future Farmers of America, Saturday. At the left is Cecil Truitt, in the center is Herman Henry, holding the trophy and at the right is Clarence Parker. The calves were the Edcouch-Elsa chapter's used in the judging. The three boys also shared individual high point honors with 555 each. Austin, Ellison, Weslaco vocational agriculture teacher, left early and was not in the picture.

Vagrant Didn't Know It Was Against Law To Beg 'When Yo Gits Hawngry'

MERCEDES — "Boss, ah didn't know they's a law against askin' fo' food when yo gets hawngry."

That was the plea Willie Harris, Negro, filed with Justice of the Peace T. J. Fikes, Sr., here this week when he was booked with vagrancy. He was fined $10 and costs for the offense, but before accepting the penalty Willie gave the judge some of his theories about this business of being a tramp.

"Ah gets hawngry lots o' times," he told the judge. "And when ah does ah'm careful about who ah asks. Ah don't go around the residential district; ah just stays downtown an' asks fo' a few crumbs of cheese and some bread. Is dey a law against that?"

Harris' case was one of a number handled in the justice court here this week. Others included Ivy Stafford, speeding, $1 and costs; Baltazar Chapa, violation of law of the road, $10 and costs; W. F. Powell, Jr., violation of law of the road, $1 and costs; G. E. Johnson, affray, $10 and costs; O. J. Power, affray, $1 and costs, and G. K. Wilson, drunkenness, $1 and costs.

In Justice R. E. Erwin's court at Weslaco the past week the following fines were assessed: J. W. Haggard, speeding, $1 and costs; Ardes Featherston, drunkenness, $1 and costs; G. L. Moody, parking on highway, $1 and costs; E. G. Adele, theft, $1 and costs, and Eugene Mitchell, vagrancy, $15 and costs.

In Justice T. Holl Spilman's court at Mission, B. B. Thompson, charged with drunkenness, was fined $10 and costs.

COPS RETURN STOLEN AUTO

2 Held At Reynosa In 1940 Theft

McALLEN — City Patrolman Richard Bales of McAllen and County Patrolman Truett Jordan of Mercedes returned here Saturday afternoon fro mReynosa with a 1939 Ford coupe belonging to the Firestone Auto Supply and Service Store which was stolen outside the station here last February 18.

Released By Mexico

The car was turned over to the two officers and Joe Moore, Firestone manager, at Reynosa Saturday afternoon by Marin Espinosa, Mexican federal district attorney.

Two Reynosa customs officers, Brigido Villareal and Ignacio Aguilar, found the machine 12 miles southwest of Reynosa on the Mendez road the day after the theft. Ruben Federico Gonzalez Victoria and Alvarado Obregon are being held at Reynosa as accomplices in the theft, Bales reported.

Hearings Monday

Victoria and Obregon are to be given hearings by the Reynosa judge Monday, and Bales will appear against them to offer testimony for the Mexican government.

Jordan said a truck belonging to Guinn Goodson of Mercedes, stolen there last February 23, is to be returned Monday. The truck was found about 18 miles south of Reynosa off a dirt road in the brush on February 24. When the vehicle was stolen, it was parked in front of the house of Jose Gonzalez at Mercedes, driver for Goodson.

Soviet Council OK's Big Budget For '41

MOSCOW—(AP)—The Council of Nationalities, one of the two chambers of the supreme Soviet, adopted Saturday by a show of hands the 1941 budget for the Soviet union, providing for expenditures of 216,052,000,000 rubles to be covered by estimated income of 222,375,000,000 rubles.

(The ruble has a nominal value of about 19 cents, but accurate conversion into American money is impossible because of lack of an open market.)

County Judges Okay 1-Cent Tax On Gas

CORPUS CHRISTI — (AP) — The South Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association, closing a two-day session here Saturday, passed unanimously a resolution favoring the adoption of a special one cent gasoline tax to take care of defense road building in Texas. The money would be used to match federal funds applied on military highways.

Mistrial Declared

ORANGE—(AP)—A mistrial was declared Saturday in the case of Carl Jewell, 37, automobile mechanic charged with shooting to death Laurine Wagner, 29, after a district court jury had failed to agree after deliberating 26 hours.

ROBSTOWN VISITOR

McALLEN — Jimmy Westbrook, N. Y. A. district engineer at Robstown and former member of the N. Y. A. staff in McAllen, viisted hetre Saturday.

"Let's you and me, Build a Home!" easy FHA terms
R. L. BROCKMAN

JOINT SPRING MEETING SET?

Stuart Place Units Favor New Plan

HARLINGEN—Members of the five community units packing their grapefruit and oranges through the Stuart Place Citrus Association plant here may hold their annual meeting jointly this spring.

The idea was put up at a joint meeting of the members of the five associations Friday night at the plant and they were unanimously in favor of the plan. The annual meetings usually are held late in the spring at the conclusion of the shipping season after all returns are in for fruit pools. Heretofore separate annual meetings have been held by the Combes, San Benito, Stuart Place, La Feria and Santa Rosa Citrus Associations.

Joint Meeting

It was suggested that by holding a joint meeting, the five associations would be able to bring an outside speaker of note to the Valley. The plan was broached by G. E. Vance, public relations representative of the Rio Grande Valley Citrus Exchange of which the units of the "Five-way Set-up" are members.

R. B. McLeaish, exchange manager, reported on finances and said that the citrus deal looked brighter than in some time. W. A. Brunton, exchange sales manager, expressed hope that larger sizes of grapefruit of which the Valley has a good many, would begin bringing better prices.

Grower Supplies

W. A. Dorman, manager of the Citrus Supply Corporation, an exchange subsidiary, told of supplies growers are able to get from their local associations.

W. E. Allen, manager of the Stuart Place association plant, reported on its operations.

Troops Called

Chile Army Oversees Sunday Election

SANTIAGO, Chile—(AP)—Chile's armed forces were ordered Saturday night for the first time in history to supervise a general congressional election Sunday which may alter the course of Chilean policies for the next four years.

President Pedro Aguirre Cedra's administration admittedly faced a critical test. Rightists, many of whom supported him two years ago in the now defunct popular front coalition, seek to retain a majority of seats in the Senate and Chamber of Deputies. On the other hand, a so-called "leftist front" bloc including Aguirre's own radical party and members of the old popular front with the exception of the socialists, is bidding for control of both Houses of Congress.

At stake is the entire membership of 147 seats in the Chamber of Deputies and 20 of the 45 Senate seats.

Solons To Tour Big Bend Park Section

ALPINE—(AP)—Thirty-two Texas legislators, including members of the appropriations committee of the House, and other legislative representatives, will leave here Sunday for a tour of the Big Bend Park area.

The group arrived here from El Paso where they inspected the Texas College of Mines and Metallurgy and the lower El Paso Valley Experimental farm.

San Benito Band To Play Concert Today

SAN BENITO — Nolan Hatcher, Los Fresnos band leader, will be guest conductor at the San Benito band concert at 4 p.m. Sunday at the school auditorium.

Miss June Gudmanson will be featured with a clarinet solo in this second of a series of presentations. The program will include the "Star Spangled Banner," "Eroica Overture," "Long, Long Ago," "Atlantis Suite," "Serenade Roccaco," "Babes in Toyland," "Shortening Bread," and "Invercargill March."

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WESLACO FFA WINS JUDGING

Valley Boys Convene For Edcouch Show

(See Picture at Left)

EDCOUCH—Future Farmers and 4-H Club Boys of the Valley tried their hand at cattle and swine judging here Saturday in the annual contests sponsored by the Edcouch-Elsa Ghapter, Future Farmers of America, and the Weslaco team romped off with highest score of the day.

The Weslaco Future Farmers scored 1,665 points out of a possible 1,800. The Edinburg Future Farmmers were second, scoring 1,530 points while the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo 4-H club boys scored 1,495 points to place third.

Individual Winners

Members of the Weslaco team also won individual scoring honors, tieing with 555 points each. They were Cecil Truitt, Herman Henry and Clarence Parker. Members of the Edinburg team were John Pawlik, Gaynes Martin and Ernie Lobus while the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo team was composed of Joe Cox, Horace Stiers and Allen Arnold.

Five teams participated in the judging of calves and hogs belonging to the members of the Edcouch-Elsa chapter, FFA. The members of the local chapter did not participate in the judging of their own stock. The calf belonging to Ray Guinn was judged the best of four while the sow belonging to Carl Harbison was judged best.

Noon Barbecue

Judging of the calves and swine took place in the morning and at noon a barbecue was served to the participants, county agents, vocational agriculture teachers and visitors.

Projects of the local FFA chapter were inspected by boys and other visitors from other Valley communities during the day. Hoke McKim is vocational agriculture teacher in the host school while John Riley Wade is chapter president.

'Sphinx' To Talk?

Unsociable Prisoner May Serve 5 More

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—A prisoner in Holmesburg Prison will serve another five years—unless he breaks a five-year silence.

Known as the "Sphinx," the man last spoke after his arrest in 1935 when he was sentenced to five to 10 years on an automobile theft charge. He told police his name was Joseph Luzer but refused to give further information.

They were unable to find out anything more about him except that the jacket of the work clothes he wore when arrested was made in Germany. Guards and doctors who have questioned him in an effort to get him to talk have been met with stony stares.

Luzer's minimum term of five years expires March 3, but Judge Harry S. McDevitt Friday ordered the prisoer confined for the balance of the sentence unless he talks.

Slug From Inspector

CHARLESTON, S. C. —(AP)— You're liable to get a slug from almost anybody. A city bus driver reported he received a brass slug among a roll of nickels from a company inspector.

'Rose Tag Day' At McAllen Nets $100

McALLEN—Over $100 was taken in Saturday when the McAllen Garden Club conducted its annual "rose tag day" for the club's civic beautification fund, Mrs. Hershel Whigham, general chairman of the drive, reported.

Nine stations were set up in the business district and roses were sold to passersby.

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Surplus Cotton Instead Of Concrete Is Proposed For Air Raid Shelters

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Cotton instead of reinforced concrete for air raid shelters was proposed Saturday .

E. C. Wallace, New York engineer who conceived the idea, told members of Congress that a 7-foot thickness of cotton would resist the penetration of a 6,000-pound bomb falling from 30,000 feet, whereas a 2,000-pound bomb falling 15,000 feet would penetrate 6-feet of reinforced concrete. The cotton can be fireproofed, it was said, so that incendiary bombs would have little effect.

Wallace's idea stirred enthusiastic interest among members of Congress from the cotton producing states.

Representative Boykin (D-Ala) explained it in a letter to members, and said he hoped to get a joint demonstration by the army and navy with the air corps dropping the bombs.

Boykin said the use of cotton for all-purpose shelters would absorb large quantities of surplus cotton.

Plans for the designers call for spans of 200 feet or more with clear ceiling and insulate sheet steel sidewalls. The roof would be made of 7-foot thick baled cotton tied in place by heavy steel wire netting.

"Woven wire mesh," said Wallace, "has been approved as a means of camouflage and this design has utilized this method as additional protection to the shelter. The design calls for two specially woven wire mats having a tensile strength of 220,000 pounds to the square inch. These mats are to be separated approximately 6 feet apart and supported on an angle above the cotton roof.

"The method of weaving the top mat and the angle at which it is placed should deflect any falling bombs, and if not exploded, should retard the fall and cause the bomb to hit the second screen on its side. The second mat should resist the fall of any bomb up to 1,000 pounds, and if it is a delayed action bomb, deflect this bomb away from the bomb shelter."

Lonesome Parrot

Won't Whistle Since Master In Army

CHICAGO—(AP)—Dr. Louis Spector's parrot is terribly lonesome since his master joined the army.

He won't talk; he won't whistle like he used to, and he won't eat—much. Dr. Spector's sister, Mrs. Meyer Agruss, said the bird only squawks "Lou, O Lou!"

"He's on a food strike and it's pitiful," Mrs. Agruss said.

She scoffed at the suggestion that the parrot might have heard about the dog who pined away for his master in the army.

"The parrot can talk when he's feeling good and he can sing and whistle, but he can't read the newspapers," said Mrs. Agruss.

Del Mar Beach Fish Prospect Excellent

DEL MAR—Propects were excellent for a fine week-end here Saturday.

The beach is in good condition and the water was excellent. Fishermen expected to have good luck over the week-end.

SOONER CHIEF WARNS ARMY

Engineers Are Told Stay Off Damsite

DURANT, Okla.—(AP)—Gov. Leon C. Phillips ordered U. S. Army engineers at the Red River damsite Saturday to stay off state land in the area until arrangements are made to compensate the state for "the losses we will suffer."

The red-haired chief executive went to the engineers' office one-fourth of a mile from the damsite, delivered his ultimatum, then turned back without ever looking at the $56,000,000 project on the Texas-Oklahoma border.

Phillips met Major R. C. Brown, who is in charge of land acquisition for the project, and Capt. J. H. Anderson, in charge of relocating highways and railroads. He advised them that under the law state land may not be sold without his consent and added:

"I notify you now as governor of Oklahoma to stay off it until a program of actually repaying us for the losses we will suffer has been worked out."

Safety Program

Patrolman Musick To Speak At McAllen

McALLEN—When the McAllen Chamber of Commerce safety committee conducts its intensive safety week program the week of March 16, State Patrolman J. O. Musick of Harlingen, will make several speeches.

He will meet with the junior traffic patrol and give the officers instructions in safety measure. Safety Committee Chairman Marvin Taylor said that every one of his committeemen reported their plans were being completed for the week. The school post contests headed by Mrs. Homer Rowe are already under way.

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BAPTISTS IN VALLEY WILL ATTEND MEET

Dallas Convention Is Set April 15-17

HARLINGEN — A large number of Baptist Sunday school officials in Harlingen are expected to attend the annual Texas Baptist Sunday school convention in Dallas on April 15-17, Rev. Douglas Carver said Friday.

Those who may attend include B. S. Mothershed, general superintendent of the school; superintendents Paul Greenwood, adult department; C. H. Hamilton, Young Peoples'; R. B. Hamilton, Intermediate; Mrs. J. J. Willingham, Juniors; Mrs. J. P. Peek, Primary; Mrs. Walter Malone, Beginners and Mrs. A. H. Goldammer, Cradle Roll; and Mrs. S. G. Stringer, secretary of finance committee and Miss Edity Carden, promotion secretary

In March, 1940, the state convention met in Harlingen with some 6,000 persons attending. The local Sunday school has established a fine record and is "standard" in regulation as are four of its departments.

Speakers Listed

Among those scheduled to speak at the Dallas meeting are Dr. C. O. Johnson, St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. R. G. Lee, Memphis, Tenn.; Dr. John L. Hill, Dr. T. L. Holcomb, Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. R. C. Campbell, Dallas; Andrew Allen, H. B. Ingraham, J. N. Barnette, William P. Phillips, H. L. King, Dr. H. L. Grice, Miss Mary Alice Biby, all from the Baptist school board in Nashville.

J. E. Mead, education director of Cliff Temple Baptist church, Dallas, is president of the convention: Mrs. J. H. Slaughter, Dallas, and Mrs. Monon Seawell, Fort Worth, recording secretary and G. S. Hopkins, who has been general secretary-treasurer for 16 years.

Wootan Chairman

General chairman of arrangements for the meeting is Harry P. Wootan, education director of the Gaston Avenue Baptist church. A pre-convention session features the presentation of "The Prodigal Son," a musical drama, by the Southwestern Seminary Chorus of Fort Worth, on April 14 and a training banquet will be held on April 16.

The organization of the Sunday school convention was completed in Dallas in June 1925 and was formed by the merger of the organized Bible class and the Sunday school superintendent's convention.

Aguilar To Visit

Tamaulipas Governor Plans Trip Here

RIO GRANDE CITY—Governor Magdaleno Aguilar of the state of Tamaulipas, will visit the Valley after meeting Governor W. Lee O'Daniel at Austin, Pedro Diaz and Bill Coddington of Rio Grande City said Saturday.

Diaz and Coddington recently conferred with Governor Aguilar at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico.

The Tamaulipas chief executive is to be escorted to Austin by State Senator Rogers Kelley of Edinburg, senator for the Valley district.

Jose R. Puente, personal friend and advisor of Governor Aguilar, is to be here shortly to meet with members of the Civic Luncheon club and help in arrangements for the governor's trip.

200 Legionnaires Sign At McAllen

McALLEN — McAllen American Legion post officials expected registration of local ex-service men to reach 200, Commander C. D. Martin said Saturday, before final returns are completed.

Incomplete reports on registration were given Friday night at the regular Legion meeting when reports on the Washington Birthday dance were given by Ray Losh and flag donations by O. C. Emery. Members of the Legion post will hold a flag presentation ceremony at the Catholic school Sunday at 4 p.m. when a flag will be donated the school by the post.

Nazis In Morocco

LONDON—(AP)—Gen. Charles de Gaulle, the "Free French" leader, told a reception of French in London Saturday that 80 carefully chosen Germans had arrived in Casablanca, French Morocco, charged with "carrying on the progressive disintegration of France and her empire."

HOW BUSINESS MOVED LAST MONTH

	% NET CHANGE FROM MONTH AGO	% NET CHANGE FROM YEAR AGO
GENERAL SPENDING	-7.4	+12.7
STOCK MARKET	-4.2	-15.0
INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY	+1.0	+13.0
RAW MATERIAL PRICES	-1.4	+6.6
FOOD PRICES	+.8	+2.8

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DRAFTEES TO GET SENDOFF

14 From Brownsville To Leave Monday

BROWNSVILLE — Fourteen Brownsville youths leaving Monday night for Fort Sam Houston on draft call will be given a big sendoff with a luncheon at noon and a band concert at night.

The American Legion post will be host to the lads at noon Monday at the White Kitchen. Several officers of the post will be present and members of the draft board will also be guests.

The Brownsville High School band will play at the Southern Pacific station for an hour prior to departure of the train for San Antonio at 8 p.m. Monday.

Ed Mockbee is chairman of the committee on arrangements, with Tom Stevenson assisting.

The young men to leave Monday night, all volunteers, are: Albert Emmett Reed, Antonio Pena Jr., Juan Saenz Martinez, Ignacio Hernandez, Calixto Gomez, Pablo Perales Gonzales, Crus Salas Flores, Delfino Guerrero, Conrado de la Cruz, Roberto Shears, Rafael Lucio Castro, Candelario Garcia, Juan Garcia Montes and Robert L. Jones.

Presbyterians Set Guest Speaker For Service On Sunday

HARLINGEN—The Rev. Nelson R. Hawkins, president of the Southwestern Presbyterian Home and School for Orphans, will preach at the First Presbyterian church Sunday at 11 a. m.

Sol Zimberoff and Phillip Murray will play a violin duet, Franz Schubert's "Ave Maria." Miss Mary Elizabeth Challes, organist, will play "Temple Prelude," by V. Petrali; "Cantilene," by William Faulkes, and "Festive March," by Charles Blackmore.

At the evening worship the Blue Triangle, the junior high school Y.W.C.A. organization will have their candle lighting service Fifteen girls from this organization will compose a chorus which will sing "I Would Be True," by Walter. Edna Boone, Charlotte Prenzler, Elizabeth Joseph and Carol Fox will outline the history program and purpose of the organization and Ouita Roberts will lead the prayer. The pastor will preach the sermon and Miss Challes will play Mozart's "Pastoral" for the organ prelude.

Edinburg To Change Peddler's Ordinance

EDINBURG—Mayor A. A. Aldrich said Saturday that the city ordinance regulating peddlers' licenses will be amended or rewritten in order that each solicitor from out of the city must pay a fee.

The district court recently ruled that employes of a firm which pays the $25 license fee may solicit business without additional payments. The case involved an Illinoise photo concern which came into the city and took out a corporation license and the agent then engaged solicitors who worked the city.

Bill Richards Leave

SAN BENITO—Bill Richard, who recently resigned as manager of the San Benito Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Richard left Friday for Beaumont. Richard has accepted a position as director of the convention and trade departments of the Beaumont Chamber of Commerce.

TO SAN ANTONIO

EDINBURG — Sheriff and Mrs. R. T. (Bob) Daniel are visiting in San Antonio during the week-end.

PAA LAUNCHES NEW SCHEDULE

Daily Service Starts To Latin America

BROWNSVILLE — To provide daily air transpormt and airmail services from Brownsville to Cristobal, the Canal Zone, and through to Port of Spain, Trinidad, Pan American Airways changed schedules Saturday.

The new services increase the weekly frequencies on the trunk line through Mexico and Central America by one more flight, bringing them to seven.

New Daily Service

On the north coast of South America the proposed changes represent an increase to a daily service. Cristobal to Port of Spain, compared to former four times weekly for this route. By this arrangement the whole of the trunk line of the Pan American system around the Caribbean will have a daily run and the passenger capacity on this route will be increased by more than 16 per cent.

These changes are considered more important than the routine increase in schedules they represent because they are the fulfilment of a long term program. They indicate, furthermore, that the amazing power of expansion of the system has not been diminished by war conditions but, if anything, have been even more greatly stimulated.

Recognizing the need for faster communications as a result of defense activities, the schedules on these routes have been stepped up from three weekly to seven within less than a year and a half. This means that since the war began, the total route miles flown in both directions each week over this section of Pan American Airways have increased from 20,940 to 48,960.

Receipts Gain

Postal Business Shows McAllen Increase

McALLEN—Postal receipts in McAllen for 1941 stole a march on last year with an increase of $681.87 registered for the first two months of the current years.

Total receipts so far this year are $11,400.24, an increase of $681.87 over the first two months of 1940 when $10,718.37 was noted, Postmaster Harry Merts announced Saturday.

During February of this year, $4,962.64 was collected, a rise of $128.45 over February, 1940, total of $4,834.19. Receipts in January, 1941, were $6,437.60, compared with $5,884.18 for January of last year, Merts reported.

McAllen Convention Program Completed

McALLEN — Burris Jackson of Hillboro, president of the Postmasters association of Texas, Saturday sent copies of the program on the convention to be held here March 27, 28, and 29.

The programs were received by Homer Rowe, chairman of the McAllen chamber of commerce conventions committee, and Postmaster Harry Merts.

The sessions will be held at the chamber of commerce building, with the Casa de Palmas Hotel as general headquarters.

New Braniff Hostess

MERCEDES—Miss Mary Ruth Bennett is now a full-fledged air hostess for Braniff Airways, having completed the line's required training courses at its Dallas base. She is now assigned to regular flights on Braniff's Great Lakes to the Gulf route.

Oil Supply Company Locates At McAllen

McALLEN—Harold D. Powell, Valley manager of the Mid-Continent Supply Company, rented a house in McAllen Saturday and will move his wife and daughter here within the next few days.

Mid-Continent has an oil field supply yard under construction at Sullivan City. The concern will have four employes stationed at Sullivan City, but Powell, the general manager, will maintain his headquarters in McAllen, he told the chamber of commerce. Powell said that he believed other supply companies would soon come into the Valley.

END VALLEY VISIT

HARLINGEN—Mr. and Mrs. Art Ulberg have returned to their home in Sioux Falls, S. D., after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Evans. Mrs. Ulberg and Mrs. Evans are sisters.

Willis Gray Will Join Flying Corps

EDINBURG—Willis Wayne Gray of Edinburg has been ordered to report to the naval aviation corps in Florida not later than April 15 for advanced aviation training.

Gray received a private flyer's license after completing a civilian pilot training course at McAllen. He recently returned from Pensacola, Fla., where he passed his physical examination.

Navy Recruit Home

PHARR—John Howton, graduate of Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School in the class of 1936, who has been in the Navy for the last four years, was back in Pharr this week visiting with friends. He has been stationed on the U. S. S. Oglala, a minelayer, for the last two years, with a home base of Pearl Harbor, T. H. His rank is a coxswain, which places him in charge of boats, deck seamanship, and gunnery. He starred in football and basketball at P-SJ-A high school.

Man Is Sentenced For Woman's Death

EDINBURG — Pedro Najera of Mercedes was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary by District Judge Bryce Ferguson Friday afternoon on a plea of guilty to driving while intoxicated and involuntary murder.

Najera was indicted on the latter charge in connection with the traffic death of Mrs. Chandida Garcia McVey, 55, Mercedes, near here last February 16.

Free Entertainment

BROWNSVILLE—A free entertainment program will be given for Brownsville tourists at the Presbyterian Church at 3 p.m. Monday, it was announced Friday at the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce.

ALABAMA VISITOR LEAVES

McALLEN—Mrs. Eric Gillerstedt of Dothan, la., returned home Friday after spending several weeks visiting her mother, Mrs. Flora B. Shea, and aunt, Mrs. A. J .McColl, in McAllen.

German Mother, 30, Boasts 11 Children

DANZIG, Germany —(AP)—Eleven children at 30 years of age is the record of Frau Margarete Bhend, wife of a laborer. She has been awarded the golden mothers' cross. Three sets of twins, all girls, and five other children make up the family. Hitler was named sponsor for the latest twins.

Coca, a narcotic plant, is widely chewed by the native population of South America.

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All Offspring Of Leroy, Famed Dairy Bull Owned By The San Benito C-C, Slated For Livestock Show April 10-12

HARLINGEN — As an added feature for the Valley Fair Livestock and Poultry Show on April 10-11-12 in Harlingen, plans are being made to have on display all of the offsprings of Leroy ,the famed Dairy Bull owned by the San Benito Chamber of Commerce, according to Harry Ratliff, manager.

All of the animals on exhibit in the display will have been produced by artificial insemination which is the method of breeding followed by the Valley Dairy Improvement Association. Harvey Richards, manager of Hygeia Milk Company, is arranging for the exhibit, and estimates there are approximately one hundred animals now in the Valley eligible for the show. Contacts are being made with the owners of animals in the Valley, and Mr. Richards stated he expected a sizeable group for the show.

Officials of the Harlingen Show recently announced that Valley Dairy Day would be held on April 12, which will be in conjunction with the exhibition, and feel it will add much to the attraction features of the show. The Dairy Day is held each year in the Valley and is sponsored by the Extension Department of A. and M. College, under the supervision of E. R. Eudaley, dairyman of the college.

The premium committee has completed the list of cash awards to be offered in the various classes, and the premiums will appear in the Star early next week. Premium lists will also be mailed to cattlemen, F.F.A. Chapters and 4-H Clubs throughout the Valley, as many requests have been received by the management.

Chas. A. Washmon, president of the Fair Association, sponsers of the Show, stated that the auction sale would be emphasized and that W. T. Hodge had been appointed to be in charge of this phase. Efforts are being made now to secure a number of outstanding buyers to be present at the sale in order to assure the exhibitors the best of prices available for their animals.

Ralph Hutchins, Willacy County Agent, chairman of the Cattle Department, reports that over one hundred animals will be entered in the show from Willacy County, and estimated that at least one hundred and fifty more from other sections of the Valley will be entered, as the boys and cattlemen are interested in placing their entries where they can receive a good price. All entries must be in by April 9, Mr. Hutchins stated and must be on the grounds by 10:00 a.m. on April 10

M'ALLEN GAS PLANT SHOWS $134 PROFIT

$1,600 Is Received In Two Months

McALLEN — Without including February receipts, net profits from the first two months of the McAllen municipal gas system's operations were $134.81, C. D. Martin, secretary of the gas board, announced Saturday.

February receipts will be published when billing to the 13 firms connected on the municipal line is completed, Martin explained.

Gross income for the first two months of operations totaled $1,661.85. Disbursements totaled $1,527.04 leaving a net profit of $134.81.

Largest single disbursement was $440.03, the first payment on notes totaling $14,857.30, the cost of the installation of the system. Regulators of the system at the well cost $436.25, the other major disbursement for the new firm.

Otherwise paid out to make a total of $1,527.04 was: operating labor, $100; operating supplies, $213.93; stationery and printing, $93.75; telegraph and telephone, $6.08; miscellaneous office expense, $11; and insurance premium, $226.

For gas used during December the firm received $657.45 with January business totaling $937.73. An advance payment of $66.67 by the schiol district for fuel for both the Lincoln and Junior high schools was included on money received. The advance payment was made on the school's pro-rata rate for the gas.

From now on the retirement of notes will be greater, Martin explained, since most of the disbursements were made for materials necessary to initiate operations.

Bills tendered to firms connected to the line are determined by the amount their respective gas bills were for 12 months period to their connection to the municipal system. Canning and ice plants connected municipally pay on a case basis with other firms operating on a flat rate.

Surplus Foods

Commodities Listed During March

EDINBURG—Travis S. Masterson, Hidalgo county food stamp plan representative, said Saturday that continued variety in surplus foods which will be available to families taking part in the plan was assured by the surplus designations for the March 1-31 period.

These are the surplus foods obtainable at local stores in exchange for blue surplus food stamps:

Fresh grapefruit, oranges, apples, pears, onions (except green onions), Irish potatoes, butter, raisins, rice, pork, lard, all pork (except that cooked or packed in metal or glass containers), cornmeal, shell eggs, dried prunes, hominy (corn) grits, dry edible beans, wheat flour, and whole wheat (Graham) flour.

Cafe Cook Arrested In 'Hot Check' Case

BROWNSVILLE — Preliminary hearing will be held Monday before Justice of the Peace Fred Recio for Johnny Saxon, transient cook who came here some time ago from New Mexico, and who has been arrested on a charge of forgery.

Saxon was arrested late Friday by Chief Deputy Sheriff Will Cabler, and placed in the county jail pending hearing.

The charge, filed by Cabler, alleges that Saxon forged a check in the sum of $12.50 on Mrs. C. A. Ansley of the Ansley Grill. The check was cashed at the Embassy Grill. Saxon had worked for a few days at Ansley's Grill as a cook during the Charro Days rush.

Saxon gave his age as 40.

Annual Material Sent To Printer

McALLEN—C. H. Britton, Jr., editor of the McAllen High School Annual, El Espejo, said Saturday that the final printing order and the feature section of the book will be sent to the Steck Publishing Company at Austin Tuesday.

He said the eight school favorites and the runners-up will make up the 16 pages of the second section. The third and final section will be sent off April 1.

Johnnie Suttle, co-business manager with Aileen Harding, said 275 annuals will be ordered, although only 206 have been sold.

McAllen Receives Secretary Credit

McALLEN—E. E. Chamness of Kingsville, state school inspector of district No. 24, has awarded McAllen high school an extra credit in secretarial training, Principal A. M. Weir said Saturday. Chamness visited here last February 21.

Weir said the class will meet for two periods five times a week, instead of two periods four times a week as it had previously done. The school lost a credit in Latin I and II and Spanish III because they are not taught, since there is no demand.

Rollins To Speak At Science Meet

McALLEN—Elmer Rollins, McAllen high school chemistry instructor, will speak on "The Natural Vegetation Areas of California" at the meeting of the South Texas division of the Texas Academy of Science at Edinburg April 25 and 26.

Rollins worked on the paper last summer at the University of Southern California

McAllen Prepares Program Marking Rubinoff's Visit

Rubinoff, master of the violin, is pictured here as he will appear Wednesday afternoon and night at concerts in McAllen, sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of McAllen. The hours are 3 p. m. for the matinee and 8 p. m.

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McALLEN — Ticket sales sped ahead Saturday as the McAllen Kiwanis club completed arrangements for the presentation Wednesday afternoon and night of Dave Rubinoff, nationally famous violinist, in two concerts whose proceeds will be used to aid underprivileged children.

The Kiwanians are sponsoring the event as the first major entertainment project of its kind for the community.

Reserved seats for the night performance are on sale at the Young Music store, and considerably more than half the seats in the auditorium have been taken. School students, meanwhile, are purchasing tickets for the special 3 p. m. matinee Wednesday at which they and their teachers will be admitted for 25 cents. Tickets for the matinee are in the hands of all school principals in McAllen, and in addition have been supplied to high school principals at Mission, Sharyland, Pharr-San Juan-Alamo and Edinburg. Students from other schools may purchase them at these places or, if large groups care to attend, may call Kenneth Alley in McAllen, who will furnish them with blocks of tickets.

Clyde Hollon and J. P. King are in charge of the reserved seat sale. Both said Saturday a complete sellout was possible by Wednesday afternoon. All matinee tickets must be obtained not later than Tuesday, since they will be called in that afternoon.

Rubinoff, who will be accompanied by Solito de Solis, for years a famous European pianist, will be guest of honor at a joint meeting of Rotary, Lions and Kiwanis clubs of McAllen Wednesday at a luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel. He is due to arrive Wednesday morning. At the same luncheon, Homer L. Leonard, speaker of the state House of Representatives, will be presented with the Valley Evening Monitor plaque of 1940, emblematic of his citation as the "most valuable citizen" of McAllen during that year.

Rubinoff's appearance in McAllen will be the first he has made in this part of Texas in many years. He will go from McAllen Wednesday night to Laredo, where he is booked for a concert Thursday.

MRS. KING LEAVES

COMBES—Mrs. A. P. King, Sr., has returned to her home in Bienneville, La., after spending several weeks here visiting in the homes of her sons, H. M. and A. P., Jr.

CHURCH MEET SET FRIDAY

Methodist Women To Install Officers

MISSION—Officers will be installed and an inspirational program presented for the 125 Methodist women who attend the West (Hidalgo county) Zone meeting of the organization, to be held in Mercedes Friday, March 7. Mrs. M. L. Laycock, McAllen, will be installed as president and Mrs. F. W. Dooley, Mission, as vice president and program chairman. Representatives of 10 Methodist church women's groups in the county will attend the all-day session which will be held in the First Methodist church of Mercedes, opening at 9:30 a. m.

A program has been arranged by Mrs. Dooley to include:

9:30 a. m.—Registration.

9:50 a. m.—Organ prelude, Mrs. Paul Shotwell, Mercedes; welcome, Mrs. T. J. Rippert, Mercedes. Response, Mrs. Ralph Morgan, Weslaco. Installation of officers, Mrs. J. C. Lovern, Edinburg. Business session, Mrs. M. L. Laycock, McAllen. Special number, Mercedes. Quiet meditation, Mrs. A. A. Bentsen, Mission.

Lunch—Mercedes W. S. C. S.—25 cents.

1:10 p. m.—Organ prelude, Mrs. Paul Shotwell, Mercedes. Hymn. Report of committees. Open forum, Mrs. R. S. Chambers, Donna. Presentation of Methodist women, Mrs. Elise B. Sharpe, Edinburg. Our Conference Institutions, Mrs. M. D. Bormann, McAllen. Story, selected, Mrs. E. C. Phillips, Pharr. Benediction, Rev. J. W. Allbritten, Mercedes.

President Of Chile Censured By Party

SANTIAGO, Chile—(AP)—President Pedro Aguirre Cedra drew censure from his own party Saturday as he attempted on the eve of congressional elections to conciliate dissident socialist elements in Chile's crumbling united front government.

The central committee of the radical party protested the dismissal by Aguirre of radical state social insurance directors whose actions were said to have provoked three socialist ministers to resign Friday.

Rio Grande City Man Hurt By Car

RIO GRANDE CITY—Antonio del Rio, Rio Grande City barber, was convalescing Saturday from injuries received Wednesday night when struck by a car driven by F. A. Hornaday, Jr., on Main street here.

Hornaday stopped and rendered aid. Officers said the accident was unavoidable. Del Rio sustained a broken leg and arm and several broken ribs.

RECOVERING

RAYMONDVILLE — C. E. Craig of Lyford who has been very ill is out again and receiving the good wishes of his friends on his compete recovery

U. S. OFFERS 2 POSITIONS

Constructors, Press Operators Sought

HARLINGEN—Civil Service examinations for two positions have been announced by the United States Civil Service Commission Friday. Applications will be accepted at the Commission's Washington office not later than the closing dates specified. The salaries are subject to a three and one-half retirement deduction.

Construction Superintendent

Examinations are for: Superintendent of construction, various grades, with salaries ranging from $3,200 to $5,600 a year. Qualified persons are urged to file application immediately, which will be rated as received until December 31, 1941.

The duties involve the direction of foremen, laborers and mechanics on large construction projects. Appointees will inspect materials and workmanship and organize men and materials for efficient construction operations. They must have had broad and responsible experience in general construction work including supervisory experience.

Lithograph Pressmen

Lithographic pressmen, various grades, with salaries ranging from $1,440 to $2,000 a year. The duties include operating lithographic power presses in the reproduction of maps and charts. Apprenticeship as printing pressman or practical experience in the trade is required. Closing dates are March 24 and 27, 1941, the extra time being allowed for applications sent from Colorado and states westward.

Full information as to the requirements for these examinations and application forms may be obtained from Frank Lee, secretary of the board of examiners at the postoffice in Harlingen.

Airport Caller

Business Agent Flies To Honduras

BROWNSVILLE—Howland Bancroft of New York City, who has spent most of his professional career in Latin American and European countries, passed through Brownsville airport Saturday morning on his way to Tegucigalpa, Honduras, where he will spend approximately two weeks on business.

Mr. Bancroft serves as consutar for several Latin American enterprises.

Valley Publicized In Mexican Capital

McALLEN—El Universal and Excelsior, Mexico City newspapers, carried pictures and stories on the opening of the new Reynosa-Hidalgo bridge.

Copies of the papers have been received by the McAllen chamber of commerce. The articles were written by Bill Goolsby of Mexico City, and publicized the Reynosa-Monterrey highway.

McAllen chamber officials said more persons are using the Reynosa-Monterrey highway now than ever before for this time of year.

Heard The Latest? So Has Camp Dix

AP Feature Service

FORT DIX, N. J.—The weekly gossip sessions of the ladies' sewing circle haven't a thing on the grapevine telegraph that buzzes around Fort Dix.

Officers get headaches from scotching rumors, tracing down reports and wondering what yarn is going to start next in the fertile minds of 18,000 youths undergoing army training here.

Sometimes the stories are built up from a few unrelated facts. Take one that gained wide circulation — "We're going to Newfoundland." Division headquarters found it started because a call was issued for accomplished skiers. Actually, the men are to become instructors if and when skis are issued.

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Then there was the one, "We're being sent to Puerto Rico." Somebody in the warehouse saw a dozen light tan shirts. The dozen shirts quickly grew into full tropical uniforms for 18,000 men, with sun helmets due on the next train!

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Some of the stories excite the camp for a day, fade and then reappear in slightly altered form. Such was the "poison fang case" wherein scores of young warriors were felled by snakebite. One man was reported to have turned as blue as your denim overalls. Nobody could find him, but they say the same snake still is knocking the boys off every day out in the surrounding pinelands. In fact (so the story goes) that's why they burned off the artillery range!

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Next pops up the one about the 'flu.—"Doctors are helpless as troops drop like flies." The story persists in mess halls and barracks although almost everyone turns up for meals regularly, and Lieut. Col. Edgar F. Haines, post surgeon, insists there has been no influenza.

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Another standby is about "The Rifled Mail Pouch" or "Censorship Rears Its Ugly Head." A man in New York's 87th brigade got a letter on which "o.k." was pencilled. Immediately all incoming and outgoing mail was being "closely inspected by the authorities." Major General Clifford R. Powell, commandant of the fort and the 44th division, held a press conference to squelch that one.

A heroic bit of tattle concerns "the alert young sentry who shot down a would-be poisoner just as the water tank was being polluted." That "fifth columnist" (the stories go) has died many deaths, plunging down 125 feet from the tower, riddled and torn by pistol, rifle and machine gun bullets. Sometimes he has an accomplice who also meets a bloody end.

General Powell wishes somebody would start a rumor to end all rumors.

All Must Sacrifice For Britain's Aid, War Secretary Says

WASHINGTON— (AP) —Sacrifices on the part of all Americans will be necessary to carry out the program of assistance to Britain provided in the administration's British aid bill, is the expressed opinion of Robert P. Patterson, undersecretary of war.

"Passage of the lease-lend bill is only the start of effective aid to England," the War Department official told the Federal Bar Association here Friday night. "It is merely the enunciation of our policy."

Dallas Trade Trip To Visit In Valley

HARLINGEN—The Dallas trade trip, which will include the Valley for the first time in several years, will leave that city the night of Easter Sunday, April 13, and return to Dallas Friday night, April 18 according to word received here this week.

Good will, entertainment and renewal of business acquaintances are the principal purposes of the annual trip sponsored by the Dallas Chamber of Commerce and Dallas Manufacturers and Wholesalers Association.

Overnight stops are scheduled at Harlingen and McAllen in the Valley.

ONE-ACT PLAY HEAD CHOSEN

Irwin Will Direct District Meet

McALLEN — J. Lee Stambaugh, Pharr-San Juan-Alamo school superintendent, has appointed Don E. Irwin, McAllen high school dramatics instructor, district director of the Interscholastic League one-act play contest to be held at Edinburg the first week in April.

Irwin was graduated from the McAllen high school in 1932, was graduated from the University of Texas with a B. S. degree in education, and became a McAllen faculty members in 1939.

Schools which are eligible to enter the contest are Brownsville, Edinburg, Harlingen and McAllen, and the winners of the various county meets. McAllen's entry will be "Antic Spring," with a cast composed of Donald Blair, Grace Delamater, Fred Pierce, Johnie Earl Suttle, Kay Wharton and Mary Claire Weir. Weslaco won the county and district meets last year and second at the regional meet.

GUEST OF DAUGHTER

COMBES—Mrs. W. A. Brown of Houston is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Quincy Adams.

President Of KRGV Is Elected Head Of Broadcasting Group

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—O. L. Taylor of Amarillo, president of the Sunshine Broadcasting Company, Inc., and the Plains Radio Broadcasting Company, was re-elected to his third term as director of the National Association of Broadcasters from the 13th district Friday when 47 delegates from 22 Texas stations held their annual district meeting here.

The delegates unanimously resolved at the meeting to "pledge our positive allegiance to Broadcast Music, Inc., "the marketing and licensing organization set up to rival the American Society of Composers, authors and publishers.

VISITING PARENTS

RAYMONDVILLE — Mrs. David Mahood and yonng son Mike of Houston is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crane.

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CITY WELFARE IS DISCUSSED

Regional Meeting Is Held At Edinburg

EDINBURG—Walter Whitson of Houston, director of the family welfare agency of that city, stressed the community aspects of welfare work when he addressed the region No. 7 meeting of the Texas Social Welfare Association at the First Methodist church here Saturday night.

Whitson substituted for Dr. Robert L. Sutherland, director of the Hogg Foundation, University of Texas, who was unable to attend.

The session opened at 2:30 p. m. by Mrs. Franklin W. Hughes of Weslaco, region No. 7 chairman. Rev. J. C. Lovern, Methodist pastor, gave the invocation.

Daniel Russell, head of the department of rural sociology of Texas A. and M. College and president of the association, spoke on "Basic Social Needs of Our Texas Communities." He was followed by T. Lester Swander, executive director of the Corpus Christi Community Chest, who talked on "Community Mobilization for Social Betterment."

The ladies of the Methodist church served a supper at 6:30 p. m. Hershell Hunt, managing editor of the Laredo Times, was unable to attend, as scheduled.

SON TO DOUGLAS

BROWNSVILLE—A boy weighing nine pounds, 12 ounces, was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. S. Douglas of Bryan, Texas. Mrs. Douglas is the former Helen Genevieve Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ross of Brownsville.

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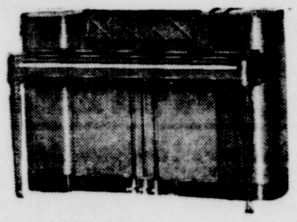

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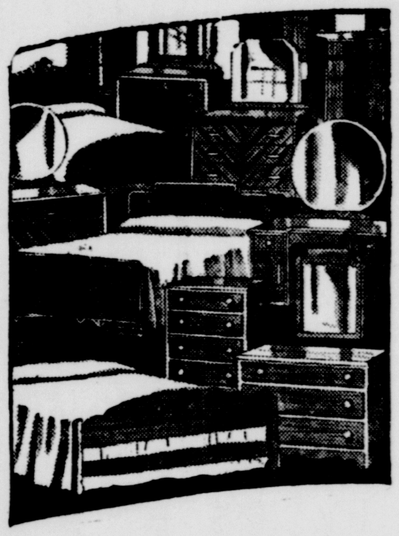

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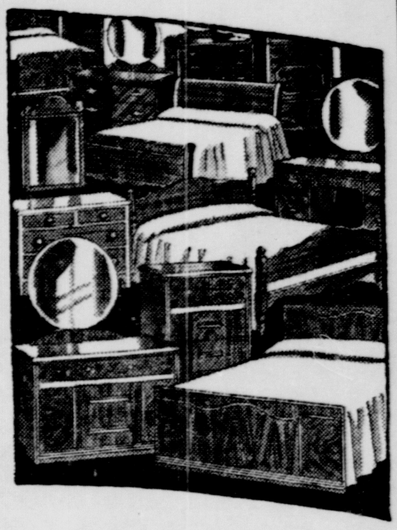

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Thousands Crowd Brownsville's Streets To See Childrens' Parade

In The Center Of The Above Air View Can Be Seen The Children's Parade In Brownsville Saturday. Note The Blocked Off Streets Where The Children's Parade Makes Turn

TOTS PARADE HELD SATURDAY

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profession, and approximately 20,000 persons saw it from the sidelines.

Streets were so packed with onlookers that a crew of Boy Scouts and a special sound truck had to be employed in an effort to move the crowds back so the marchers could have enough room to move.

Color bearers headed the procession, which left Fort Brown's main gate promptly at 2 p. m. for its downtown jaunt. Mr. Fanning was next in line, riding in a bright yellow midget car driven by a young lady attired as a Spanish matador.

The Brownsville Junior band came next, attired in China and Charo garb, followed by bearers of Mexican flags, who were roundly cheered by the enthusiastic crowd.

Matamoros College

Behind the Mexican flag bearers came the drum and bugle corps of the Colegio Mexico of Matamoros, attractive in blue and white uniforms, and followed by several hundred students of Matamoros schools.

United States and Mexican officials, including Carlos A. Calderon, Mexican consul here, and E. C. Dodd, superintendent of local public schools, marched next.

Then came Brownsville school children attired as Indians—peaceful Mayans, warlike Aztecs and doddering Little Old Men—followed by students in costumes of Spanish explorers, bullfighters and other dress typical of Spain and its history.

Their golden uniforms flashing in the sun, the 60-piece Brownsville high school Eagle band pranced by after this aggregation and was followed by more school children attired as Chinas and Charros in Mexican State costumes.

Raymondville Band

Next in line was the 60-piece Raymondville high school band, led by Ralph Davis as drum major and three twirlers — Darlene Spoonemore, June Page and Marian Kennedy.

Colorful groups of Xochimildo flower girls, Rancheros, Vendors, Peons and other Pan American types, all from Brownsville schools, followed the Raymondville band, and were in turn followed by a delegation of costumed Blalack school children.

A highlight of the parade was the 50-piece Lyford high school band in snappy blue and white uniforms. Following this musical group were students of St. Joseph's Academy, Immaculate Conception grammar school, the convent school and St. Francis school.

Adding their bit to the festivities, the quick-stepping Los Fresnos high school Falcon band was next, attired in maroon sweaters and military caps.

The parade was completed with delegations from Villa Nueva, Palm Grove, Nogales and El Jardin schools.

Mr. Fanning commended all students, teachers and others who aided in presentation of the delayed Charro Days event, declaring that "it was a demonstration of countless hours of love labor."

"We are grateful to one and all of those who helped us entertain the thousands of spectators with this brilliant spectacle, and we hope to have an even bigger and better parade for next year," he stated.

The emperor penguin is often equal in weight to a timber wolf.

Shown Above, Left To Right Are, The Drum And Bugle Corps From Collegia de Mexico of Matamoros, Officials Of Mexico And The United States And A Group Of Chinas

DRAFTING OF CITRUS LAWS IS LAUNCHED

Six Points Included In Legislation

McALLEN — E. A. McDaniel, McAllen attorney, and Sam Greer, Mission attorney, have begun drafting new citrus legislation agreed upon by committees of growers, shippers and canners at a meeting Friday night in McDaniel's office and incorporating six points which have been under discussion for some time.

Sub-Groups Named

Sub-committees of growers, shippers and canners were appointed to work with the attorneys and it was hoped that the legislation would be completed by Friday.

Owen Council is chairman of the grower committee and A. L. Cramer of the shipper committee while the canners are represented by Glen G. White, president of the South Texas Canners Association.

Six Points

The six points agreed upon were as follows:

1. Creation of an official body or citrus commission to enable the industry to regulate its own affairs.
2. Improved quality of fruit through strengthened maturity requirements.
3. A minimum price law.
4. An advertising and merchandising program to sell increased production at better prices.
5. Strengthened bonding and licensing law.
6. Standardization of containers.

Valley 'Together'

According to E. W. Linnard of McAllen, member of the legislative committee the Valley citrus industry, after years of bickering, has finally gotten together for the common good.

"The broad purpose of the program is to increase returns to growers and stabilize the entire industry," Linnard said. "With all of us forgetting our own selfish interests and working for the good of the deal we are certain to make progress."

The citrus commission being considered would be composed of practical citrus men who know Valley problems. There would be 13 members of whom seven would be growers, three shippers and three canners. Members would be nominated by each group with nominations going to the governor for appointment.

Commission Authority

The commission would have the authority to:

1. Establish rules and regulations for carrying out the intent of all citrus legislation with the commissioner of agriculture as the enforcement officer.
2. To hold public hearings or referenda on important industry problems.
3. To co-operate with government agencies and other citrus areas in developing plans to increase returns to the growers.
4. To administer laws specifically delegated to it.
5. To accumulate facts on production, processing, distribution and merchandising of citrus and to pass this information on to the growers.

New Valley Idea

As new as the citrus commission idea is to the Valley citrus area is the proposed legislation covering advertising, merchandising and a research program. To make advertising effective, it is felt that it should be supported by facts obtained through consumer research, laboratory research and group experiments to find new uses for citrus and determine medicinal values.

The plans of the three groups call for a good deal of permissive legislation, it was pointed out. Although the proposed citrus commission would have the authority to adopt a number of different policies, it could do so only with the consent of the industry as expressed at hearings or through referenda. Conditions being different each season, the industry might consider advertising or other regulations beneficial one season and not needed another season. The nature of the legislation would make it possible to adjust regulations to suit conditions, it was explained.

Loeb To Report

Hotel Man Called To Palacios Camp

HARLINGEN— E. Noel Loeb of Harlingen, a lieutenant in the Officers Reserve Corps, has been ordered to report for duty with the U. S. Army. He has been assigned to Company A, 72nd Quartermaster Battalion, and will be stationed for a year at Camp Hulen near Palacios, Texes.

Loeb, who came here in November, 1939, is comptroller for three Valley hotels, the Madison in Harlingen, the Cortez in Weslaco and the Donna in Donna. He came to the Valley from Okmulgee, Okla., where he was manager of the Parkinson Hotel. He formerly was affiliated with the LaSalle, Shoreland and Pearson hotels in Chicago.

He graduated from St. John's Military Academy in Delafield, Wis., and attended Northwestern University school of journalism. Loeb has been in the hotel business for the past 10 years.

Mrs. Noel Loeb, mother of Lieut. Loeb, who has been here a few months, plans to reside in Houston until suitable accommodations for her are located nearer her son.

MRS. MITCHELL BETTER

PHARR—Mrs. Thomas Mitchell who underwent a major operation in the McAllen City Hospital, Saturday, is reported to be doing satisfactorily.

2-Year-Old Johnny Carlisle Makes Long Plane Trip To Chicago Alone

Rejoins His Parents First Time In 18 Months Here

BROWNSVILLE — It's a long, long way to Chicago from Brownsville, but distance meant nothing Saturday to two-year-old John Carlisle, Jr., because he was going to see his parents for the first time in 18 months.

Johnny arrived at the Brownsville airport about noon Saturday accompanied by his grandmother, Mrs. W. E. Brickman of Weslaco, and right away became acquainted with Miss Alicia Romero, Braniff hostess who was hired to take care of Johnny on his long plane trip. Miss Romero is the type of young lady that any male, big or small, would like to have take care of him.

The lad's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle, Sr., were at the Chicago airport at 11:38 p. m. Saturday to get Johnny and the meeting there was a happy one.

Johnny's father works in the traffic department of the Ford Motor Car assembly plant at Hegewisch, Ill., near Chicago.

The youngster, wide-eyed and excited about his plane trip kissed his grandmother goodbye after pointing out on the map where he was going and climbed aboard Braniff Airways' noon liner for Chicago. He had just eaten before coming to the airport and when the plane arrived at Dallas about 4 p. m. he was served a meal of hot Cream of Wheat cereal, prunes and warm milk, all prepared by Braniff Airways.

The lad's grandfather was unable to come to the airport with Johnny, but he said his goodbye before they left Weslaco. His grandfather is Reverend W. E. Brickman, of the Church of New Jerusalem at Weslaco.

It may be a long time before Johnny gets back to visit with his grandparents, but it will be a long time before he forgets them and the wonderful time he had growing up in the Valley

Little Johnny Carlisle was in good hands when he left Brownsville Saturday for his first visit with his parents in 18 months. He is shown on the steps of a Braniff airliner on his way to Chicago, with Miss Alicia Romero, Braniff hostess hired by his parents to take care of the lad on the trip. He had been visiting his grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Brickman of Weslaco, for the past 18 months. (Photo by Stone.)

TEXAS-EXES ELECT ROWE

Annual Banquet Held In McAllen

McALLEN—Homer W. Rowe of McAllen was elected president of the University of Texas Ex-Students Association of the Valley, at annual association banquet held at the Casa de Palmas here Saturday night. He succeeds Menton J. Murray of Harlingen. Total of 66 were present. The 1942 banquet will be held March 2 in Harlingen.

Other officers elected included Roger Robinson of Raymondville, vice president, and Linda Gillis of McAllen, secretary. Paul Brown of Harlingen was re-elected councilman to the ex-students association.

John McCurdy, executive secretary of the Texas Ex-Students Association, was the principal speaker, talking on records and work of the association and activities at the university. Felix McDonald of Edinburg led group singing, with Mary Everhard of McAllen as accompanist. Short talks, mostly humorous and reminiscent, were given by Ty Cobb, Judge Rogers Blalock, Judge Bryce Ferguson, Paul T. Vickers and Tom L. Hartley.

Brownsville Woman Injured In Mishap

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. A. N. Para, wife of Dr. A. N. Para of the Public Health Service, sustained a compound fracture of the right leg above the ankle about 6:30 p. m. Saturday, when her sedan was in collision with a coupe driven by Claudio Ortiz, at corner of Palm boulevard and Monroe street. Both were taken to Mercy Hospital where Ortiz, a battery shop operator, was treated for head hurts.

The crash was investigated by State Highway Patrolman J. O. Musick, County Traffic Officer Zipper Lee and City Officer S. B. McCreary.

Harlingen Man Sent To Pensacola Base

HARLINGEN — Ensign D. C. Knock, son of Mrs. Charles H. Chandler of Harlingen, has been ordered to report at the Naval Air Base at Pensacola, Fla., on March 15, according to word received here Saturday.

Knock was a member of the 1932 graduating class at Annapolis, and since that time has been a member of the Naval Officers Reserve Corps. He is now commanding officer of the C.C.C. camp at Skull Creek, Colo.

McAllen Residence Ransacked Saturday

McALLEN—The home of L. B Coffen at 1922 Date Palm avenue, was ransacked between 8 and 8:30 p. m. Saturday, while Mr. and Mrs. Coffen were in town buying groceries, they reported to police here Saturday night.

Clothes, a radio, clock and camera were among articles taken, valued by Coffen at more than $150. Apparently the thieves entered by the back door. Coffen said a hole in the back screen would permit anyone to reach through and unlatch the back door. Chief of Police Noah Cannon and Constable John Bales were working on the case Saturday night.

ATTENDS CONVENTION

COMBES—W. T. Staton, Jr., went to San Antonio this week to attend a convention.

WEATHER

(Official U. S. Weather Bureau Forecasts)

THE VALLEY: Considerable cloudiness Sunday; Monday occasional rains. Moderate to fresh southeast winds.

ARKANSAS: Partly cloudy, warmer in east and south portion Sunday; Monday cloudy, occasional rains, colder in north and west portion.

EAST TEXAS: Considerable cloudiness Sunday; Monday occasional rains, somewhat colder in north and west-central portion. Moderate to fresh southeast winds on the coast.

MISSOURI: Increasing cloudiness, warmer except west central portions Sunday; Monday light rain, much colder.

KANSAS: Increasing cloudiness followed by light rains west and north central, warmer north central, colder extreme west Sunday; Monday cloudy, light rain east portion, much colder.

OKLAHOMA: Increasing cloudiness, followed by light rain northwest and extreme west, colder extreme west portions Sunday; Monday cloudy, light rain east portion, much colder.

The tides for Sunday: high tides at 6:10 a.m. and 5:39 p.m. low tides at 11:57 a.m.

Sunrise Sunday 6:53 a.m. Sunset 6:32 p.m.

STATION	Highest last 24 hours	Lowest last Night	Precipitation (inches)
Abilene	68	47	.00
Albuquerque	65	35	.00
Amarillo	69	38	.00
Albany, N. Y.	21	16	.04
Atlanta	37	23	.00
Boston	35	31	.13
Chicago	29	16	.01
Cincinnati	29	16	.00
Cleveland	25	15	.00
Corpus Christi	66	44	.00
Del Rio	69	47	.00
Denver	68	44	.00
Detroit	25	11	.00
Dodge City	34	30	.00
El Paso	72	42	.00
Fort Worth	65	40	.00
Galveston	62	46	.00
Havre, Mont.	54	17	.00
Huron	30	21	.00
Jacksonville	52	28	.00
Kansas City	38	29	.00
Los Angeles	65	52	2.87
Memphis	37	25	.00
Miami	65	42	.00
Mobile	49	29	.00
Mpls. St. P.	28	17	.00
New Orleans	56	35	.00
New York City	26	20	.22
Norfolk	31	20	.00
North Platte	45	25	.00
Oklahoma City	54	35	.00
Palestine	66	40	.00
Phoenix	81	56	.00
Pittsburgh	23	10	.00
St. Louis	32	20	.00
Salt Lake City	59	30	.00
San Antonio	69	39	.00
Sheridan	63	36	.00
Shreveport	54	33	.00
Tampa	58	40	.00
Washington	27	20	.00
Williston	47	23	.00
Wilmington, N. C.	39	27	.00

Congratulations

To Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cradit on birth of a son weighing 9 pounds 3 ounces, at 3:15 a. m. Saturday at Medical Arts Clinic. The child has been named Edwin Errol.

To Mr. and Mrs. Barney McCasland on the birth of a 7-pound son at 11:44 a. m. Saturday at the Medical Arts Clinic. The boy has been named Barney, Jr.

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Harvester Strikers To Confer Monday

By The Associated Press

Strikers and the International Harvester Company management agreed Saturday to meet with Secretary Perkins in Washington Monday in an endeavor to settle a dispute holding up several million dollars' worth of defense contracts.

Plants Involved

Four plants of the company are involved in strikes, called by the CIO farm equipment workers organizing committee. The Labor Department estimated that 13,000 men are idle. Workers walked out of the huge McCormick plant at Chicago on Friday. There are strikes also at another Chicago plant and at Richmond, Ind., and Rock Falls, Ill. The union demands include recognition as collective bargaining agent for the employes and wage adjustments.

Another strike of direct interest to the government was settled during the day. CIO union employes of the Troy, N. Y., plant of Cluett, Peabody and Company, holding a $228,000 contract for army shirts, approved a new contract and voted to go back to work Monday. The new contract provides for wage increases. Strikers at company plants in Atlanta, Ga., and Leominister, Mass., were to meet later to consider acceptance of the contract for their locals.

U. S. Presses Efforts

The government, meanwhile, pressed its efforts at both Washington and Milwaukee to bring an end to the strike at the Allis-Chalmers Company plant, where work on $45,000,000 worth of defense contracts has been held up for six weeks. That strike was predicated on demands for union security, wage increases and certain seniority adjustments.

FROM OKLAHOMA

RIO GRANDE CITY — Mr. and Mrs. Omer Jefferson and son of Fairfax, Okla., were the guests of Lieutenant and Mrs. T. A. Ragan Monday and Tuesday.

TRUCK BILL'S PASSAGE SEEN

45,000-Pound Limit Held Probable

AUSTIN — Emerging from the doldrums of many years of apathy, legislation designed to increase the truck load limit from a miserly 7,000 pounds to a probable gross of seven times that figure, appared to be facing clear sailing under the guidance of the Dirt Farmers Congress Saturday as a progressive and fairly harmonious legislature took off for the week-end.

First Break In Decade

"The outlook for a safe and sensible law giving farmers and stockmen of the state and the first fair break they have had in the past decade in getting their products to market in an economical way is most promising," Bailey B. Ragsdale, president of the Dirt Farmers Congress, who has taken the lead in the fight to place trucking limits of Texas on a par with those enjoyed by all other states of the nation, said enthusiastically Saturday after reviewing the progress of the bill in the two Houses.

The House last week, riding on the crest of a comfortable majority, set the measure fairly far down towards the home stretch with the bill retaining all scientific provisions and with a gross load limit of 35,000 pounds. A Senate committee, following a thorough hearing on all provisions of the bill, went the House one better by voting the measure out for consideration within a few days with a gross limit of 48,000 pounds. Final action before the Senate proper is expected within the next week or ten days, and its backers are confidently predicting that action will be taken not later than March 5.

Ragsdale was high in his praise of the splendid cooperation given his organization in shepherding the measure through the legislative channels and lauded the splendid leadership manifested by both House and Senate leaders and particularly the authors of the bill, Representative Lonnie Alsup, of Carthage, and Senator Rogers Kelley, of Edinburg.

From all present indications those becking the measure were confidently predicting Saturday that the measure would finally be enacted into law with a probable ceiling in excess of 45,000 pounds.

Teachers In Mexico Warned By Camacho

MEXICO CITY — (AP) — Mexican school teachers were cautioned Saturday by President Avila Camacho against "deviating" from their educational responsibilities to participate in political or syndical "battles producing discord and unrest."

The union representing the republic's 80,000 teachers has been one of the most militant in the entire country, object of charges of inculcating leftist doctrines in the schools and center of numerous strikes.

French Now Seeking More Food From US

WASHINGTON—(AP)—As reduced bread rations became effective in unoccupied France, Gaston Henry-Haye, the French ambassador, renewed efforts Saturday to obtain food from this country.

Henry-Haye discussed the question with Sumner Welles, undersecretary of State, with whom he has conducted a series of talks designed to enlist the friendly offices of the United States in having the British blockade lifted.

FLIER IS KILLED

HOUSTON—(AP)—J. G. Parrish of Houston, an amateur flier, died in the crash of an airplane 50 miles north of here Friday.

FATHER IS ILL

RAYMONDVILLE — Mrs. Jack Wrigley was called to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Veiss in Caldwell this week because of the illness of her father.

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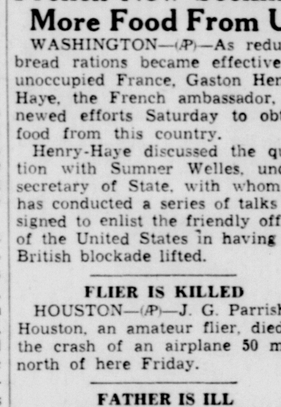

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Weeps For Happiness

The excitement was just too much for Ginger Rogers (left) when she was named the movies' champion actress for 1940 for her characterization of "Kitty Foyle," so she broke down in tears over her "Oscar" (foreground) when she got back to her table at the Motion Picture Academy Awards banquet in Hollywood. Her mother, Mrs. Leila Rogers (center), was also at the weepy stage, as Davil Hempstead, her producer, tried to soothe both happy women.

Texans Will Celebrate Independence Sunday At Washington-On-Brazos

BRENHAM—(AP)—On the sacred soil where illustrious forefathers gathered 105 years ago to declare a new and independent Texas republic, a band of Texans will gather Sunday to celebrate.

Storied, historic old Washington-On-The-Brazos with its replica of the wind-torn blacksmith shop where frontiersmen declared Texas' independence on March 2, 1836, is the site.

Descendants of the founding fathers, state officials and dignitaries and just plain Texans come to pay homage will throng the grounds.

Special tribute will be paid Richmond Ellis, chairman of the 1836 convention, by Federal Judge James V. Allred. Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel will speak on "The Challenge of March 2, 1836."

The descendants of the signers of the Texas Declaration of Independence will gather in the blacksmith shop for an annual meeting and the declaration will be read by Mrs. Joseph Weyland Dollarhide, granddaughter of Richard Ellis.

Following the luncheon concert by the Brenham band, the Blinn college aviation class will give a flight demonstration.

School children from various sections of the state will gather for a mass singing bee in the afternoon.

The Noted Bengal Gards of Orange will perform; the 197th Regiment, Coast Artillery Anti-Aircraft Unit, will be presented and the Brenham high school band will play.

M'ALLEN TAX RECEIPTS UP

Both City And School Report Jumps

McALLEN—Increases in February tax collections on 1940 taxes over the prior year were reported Saturday by officials of the school and city tax offices as the two per cent penalty on the past year's taxes went into effect.

City tax collections for 1940 during February reached $15,137.92, an increase of $6,017.99 over collections of 1939 taxes during the same month last year when collections totaled $9,119.93. Total city collections in February were $17,540.90 to show a rise of $6,033.44 over the same month last year when total collections were $11,507.46.

School district collections on 1940 taxes during February were $3,820, an increase of $100.70 over collections on 1939 taxes in February, 1940, which were $3,729.30.

Collections on delinquent taxes in the school district fell during February, M. E. Stone, clerk of the board, reported, declaring the district intended to open a campaign to press collections of delinquencies during coming months. Delinquent tax collections during February, 1940, totaled $4,642.11 with the past month listing $1,435.26, Stone reported. The decrease was $3,206.85, Stone said.

Alfonso Returns In Death To His Realm

MADRID—(AP)—Former King Alfonso XIII is expected to return in death to the realm he fled a decade ago, a voluntary exile.

Under a decree to be issued by Generalissimo Francisco Franco, permission will be granted to bury the ex-monarch in the Royal pantheon at Escorial, traditional burial place of Spanish kings. The mausoleum is 31 miles from Madrid.

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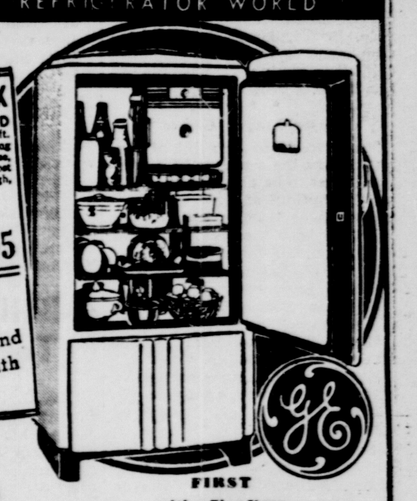

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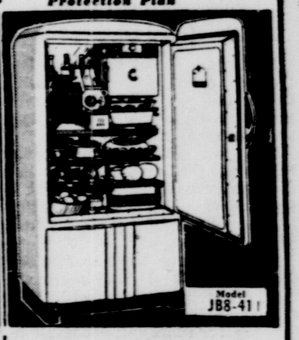

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Dell Morgan To Take Over Head Football Post At Texas Tech

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SPORTS

Page 10 — E. C. "DOC" OSBORN, Sports Editor — Sunday, March 2, 1941

DUG OUTA The SPORTS BAG!

By E.C. Doc OSBURN

Busy Times Ahead

Whether you know it or not, there are busy times ahead for all you sports fans.

First off there is the meeting of the Rio Grande Valley Golf Association to be held Monday night at the Brownsville Country Club. At this gathering plans will be completed which should make of the organization one that will insure the future of golf in the Valley. Every golfer in this section is invited to attend this "Dutch Treat" affair.

There will be so much going on Monday, March 10, that we hate to mention it for fear some of you will just throw up your hands and stay home—all because you can't be at several places at the same time.

On that day, the spring training camps will open at Harlingen, San Benito and Brownsville. This means that you fans have quite a job on your hands if you decide you would like to see the first day of spring training at each of the three camps.

On Sunday, March 16, the first exhibition games of the season will be played with the San Antonio Missions meeting the Toledo Mud Hens at Harlingen and the Fort Worth Cats going against a Brownsville team at Brownsville. From this date on for a month you will have the opportunity of seeing plenty of games including those in which the St. Louis Browns and Boston Bees will be a part.

To make Monday, March 10, a day for the Valley to remember, Miss Patty Berg and Miss Betty Jameson will be matched against each other in a foursome with two South Texas women shotmakers. The opportunity to see in action the nation's two leading feminine golfers is a treat that should certainly not be passed up.

Valley high school baseball teams will furnish fans with plenty of action also, the 1941 schedule getting under way March 11. Ten Valley schools will send their nines after the Valley title and the right to go higher in state play.

March 14 is the date set aside for the annual Donna Relays. This even has long been a popular one and the thinly clads furnish plenty of thrills for track and field fans.

For the basketball addict, the tournament for independent Valley quintets is under way at San Benito and on playing nights there is enough court action to please anyone.

Monday afternoon at the Harlingen municipal course, the women golfers of South Texas will stage an elimination tournament to determine the players who will play in the foursome with Miss Berg and Miss Jameson with the two posting the lowest gross scores receiving the honors.

And who knows we may have overlooked several other sports events. If we did, jump all over us.

And just as a reminder—the Border Olympics will be held at Laredo, Friday, March 7. It is our understanding that quite a number of Valley track men will see action there.

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Major League Games

There seems to be a bit of confusion over the schedule of exhibition games to be played in the Valley this spring—at least where the major league teams are concerned.

Just to keep the record straight, we pass on the following:

March 19—Boston Bees vs. Fort Worth at Brownsville.

March 20—Boston Bees vs. Toledo at Harlingen.

March 21—Boston Bees vs. San Antonio at San Benito.

March 26—St. Louis Browns vs. Fort Worth at Brownsville.

March 27—St. Louis Browns vs. Toledo at Harlingen.

March 28—St. Louis Browns vs. San Antonio at San Benito.

From this schedule it can be seen that Brownsville, San Benito and Harlingen will each play host to two major league ball clubs.

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Tough Loss

Rio Grande Valley basketball fans are right proud of the fine showing Coach Bob Jackson's Brownsville Eagles made in the regional cage tournament at Kingsville.

Just two points separated the Eagles and the Laredo quintet when the final whistle blew and that is the kind of loss that hurts. If you take a real trimming it doesn't hurt nearly as bad.

And when one stops to consider that the 1941 Eagle cagers brought the Brownsville high school its first district basketball championship, they deserve some extra congratulations.

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Some Advice

Note to high jumpers:

When you come to a fence, don't jump! Use the nearest gate or crawl under.

That's the advice of Captain Walter Arrington of the Michigan State track team. Arrington, ace high jumper, didn't even hesitate when he came to a fence recently, went right up and over.

But he suffered a severely twisted ankle that threatens to keep him far below top form this year—may even cost him a year of competition.

M. Jennings Taking Over As Director

Athletic Council Is Optimistic

LUBBOCK—(AP)—Two silvery veterans of big-time football—Morley Jennings and Dell Morgan—Saturday were named the shepherds of Texas Tech's football flock.

The board of directors unanimously named Jennings, recently resigned head coach at Baylor University, and Morgan, recently resigned line coach of Rice Institute, as athletic director and head coach, respectively.

The new combination, a combination Tech secretly hopes will lay foundation for entrance into the Southwest Conference, replaces Peter Willis Cawthon and Dutchy Smith, the tech coaching team that resigned several weeks ago because, they said, of certain athletic policies.

Jennings will take over June 1 under a two-year contract. He will also serve as professor and head of the department of physical education. Morgan, who coached at Tech in 1935 and resigned to go to Auburn, received a three-year contract starting March 1. He is expected to start spring drills within a few days.

The board also appointed George Berl Huffman assistant varsity football coach and varsity basketball mentor. Huffman resigned along with Cawthon and Smith, but the board rejected his resignation and gave him a promotion. His basketball team recently trimmed the National AAU champions, the Phillips Oilers. Huffman received a two-year contract.

Walker Nichols, guard on the 1935 Tech team and recently at Lubbock high school, was named freshman football and basketball coach and varsity track tutor on a two-year contract. G. C. Powell, former graduate manager, was named assistant to Jennings under a one-year contract.

Lewis (Doc) Spears, former Tech grod immortal, was named an instructor of physical education and trainer of the varsity teams.

W. L. Stangel, chairman of the athletic council, said the group had been selected from a field of 141 applicants and expressed the belief "Tech's athletic future is most promising under these men."

Cage Results

Arkansas 41, Southern Methodist 32
Rice 73, Texas 64
Cornell 33, Princeton 27
Northwestern 45, Iowa 36
Illinois 52, Chicago 33
Wisconsin 42, Minnesota 32
St. Louis U. 28, U. of Tulsa 44
Kansas 55, Nebraska 53
U. of Detroit 36, Marquette 33
Amherst 46, Williams 22
New York U. 78, Rutgers 55
Columbia 36, Harvard 18
Yale 48, Manhattan 44
Creighton 65, Drake 57
Penn State 36, Pitt 21
Lafayette 47, Lehigh 45
North Dakota State 51, North Dakota U. 39
Wayne 47, Hastings 37
West Virginia 65, Carnegie Tech 39
Oklahoma Aggies 41, Washington U. (St. Louis) 17
Central (Okla.) State 35, Northeastern (Okla) State 25
Ohio State 45, Michigan 37
Michigan State 44, Notre Dame 35
Indiana 47, Purdue 29
Iowa State 36, Kansas State 33
Dartmouth 65, Pennsylvania 57
Baylor 53, Texas A. and M. 39
Texas Tech 49, Hardin Simmons 31
Oklahoma Baptist U 35, Southwestern (Okla.) State 24
Syracuse 47, Colgate 41
Boston U 55, Brown 49
Rhode Island State 98, Providence College 71
Washington and Jefferson 44, Waynesburg 32

4-Ball Tourney To Start Today

CORAL GABLES, Fla. — (AP) — Birdies are apt to come mighty cheap when 32 of the best professionals in the golf business start fighting it out Sunday, in the $5,000 International Four Ball tournaments.

Four ball play lets the pros take long chances, so spectacular shots are sure to be flying all over the Miami Biltmore course.

The 1939 winners—Sam Snead and Ralph Guldahl—will be favored to regain the trophy as a result of their scores in the St. Petersburg tournament this week.

San Benito Kiwis Planning Softball

SAN BENITO — The Kiwanis Club's athletic committee is attempting to organize a softball league this spring and a survey is being made to determine if fans prefer to see games in Kiwanis park or on the old field, northeast of town.

The committee is also anxious to sponsor a girls' team and anyone desiring to play here or from surrounding towns are asked to contact Othel Bigham, chairman; Adolph Thomae or Bill Collins.

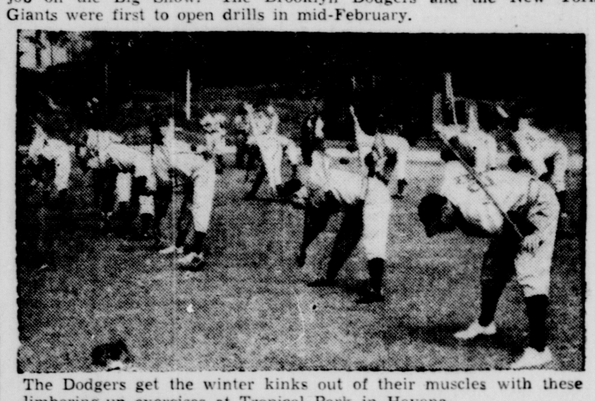
Bigham said Saturday that it is hoped that Rio Hondo, Los Fresnos and Port Isabel would take part again this year in the men's league and possibly sponsor girls' teams, too.

Three Germans have patented a newspaper type cast from synthetic resins.

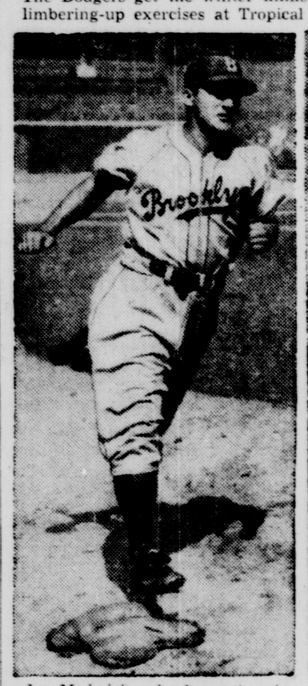
FIRST SIGNS OF SPRING

AP Feature Service

IT'S SPRING training time for major league baseball players. The veterans are busy getting in shape for another season while the rookies are doing their best to catch the manager's eye and grab a job on the Big Show. The Brooklyn Dodgers and the New York Giants were first to open drills in mid-February.



The Dodgers get the winter kinks out of their muscles with these limbering-up exercises at Tropical Park in Havana.



Joe Medwick, who hopes to win the National League batting crown, rounds the bases after hitting one in a practice tilt.

Fred Fitzsimmons, veteran pitcher, hits fungoes to the outfield. Fred's conditioning was slowed up by a sore ankle.

The Dodgers have their cheering section, too. They are Helen Fitzsimmons (left), Mrs. Joe Medwick, Nellie Durocher, Mrs. Kirby Higbe, Mrs. Fred Fitzsimmons and Mrs. Leo Durocher.

The Giants are doing their training at Miami. Much of the Giants' success next season depends on tall pitcher Cliff Melton (right), who is chatting with Manager Bill Terry.

Monte Alto Team Wins Bantam Softball Title

LA VILLA—Pounding out a win over Progreso in the final game, Monte Alto won the first annual La Villa Bantamweight Softball tournament here Friday and with the victory a handsome trophy.

Twelve teams participated in the tourney, La Villa "A," Elsa Latin-American, Elsa Elementary, Progreso, Mercedes, Monte Alto, South Palm Gardens, Edcouch Elementary, North Palm Gardens, La Villa "B," Valley View and Edcouch Latin-American. La Villa, Progreso, Monte Alto and Edcouch Latin-American fought their way to the semi-finals.

Outstanding players, selected by the coaches of the various teams, were: Elmo Dean Wade, outfielder, Elsa Elementary; Veldon Houts, outfielder, Monte Alto; and Reynaldo Garza, La Villa.

B. R. Fraser, La Villa, director of the tournament, stated that the success of event indicated that more teams would enter next year.

RIGGS WINS

JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—(AP)—Top-seeded Bobby Riggs of Chicago pulled out of a hole Saturday to defeat Jack Kramer of Los Angeles 8-6, 1-6, 6-4 in the Southeastern tennis tournament's semi-finals.

William Talbert of Cincinnati took Gardner Larned apart 6-1, 6-2. Riggs and Talbert meet in the finals at the Riverside Tennis Club Sunday.

Scotch Tourney Is Postponed

BROWNSVILLE—Due to the unsettled weather condition, the regular monthly Scotch tournament, scheduled to be played at the Brownsville Country Club Sunday, has been postponed one week, Claud Liston, manager, has announced.

All players planning to enter the tournament are requested to form their foresomes as soon as possible and file their entries here or at the Harlingen municipal course.

Pairings and teeing off times will be announced in the Star-Monitor-Herold next Sunday.

Porkers Win Final Game Of Season

Chalk Up Twelfth Victory In Row

By RICHARD WEST

DALLAS—(AP)—Arkansas' champion Razorbacks fought off a stubborn Southern Methodist basketball team here Saturday night to win their 12th conference victory in a row, 41 to 32.

The victory gave Arkansas its second perfect season in history. A great 1928 team, featuring Schoonover, Rose and Pickel, also had a perfect season.

The Razorbacks' eleven field goals and nineteen free throws gave them a new conference scoring record—a total of 646 points against 607 scored by Rice last season.

But their ace, Johnny Adams, the jumping jive from Beebe, failed to become the new all-time Southwest scoring king.

Guarded closely by Rusty Baccus, little brother of Southern Methodist's coach, Whitey, Adams made only one field goal—and that three minutes before the game ended. Eight free throws gave him a total of ten points for the evening.

His season's total of 206 fell short by four points of equalling the great mark set in 1938 by Hub Kirkpatrick of Baylor.

S.M.U. started fast on field goals by Lloyd and Keith and led 8-4 at the end of the first ten minutes. Then Hickey and Frieberger started slipping under the basket for crip shots and Arkansas pulled ahead 17-12, three minutes before the half ended.

Keeton, fighting, red-faced Pony guard who played a marvelous game, found holes between Frieberger and Pitts under the basket and scored two field goals just before the half ended with the score 18-16, Arkansas.

Frieberger was the game's high scorer with 12 points.

The box score:

Arkansas	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Tps.
J. Adams f	1	8	2	10
Carpenter f	2	4	4	8
Robbins f	0	0	1	0
Frieberger c	5	2	2	12
O. Adams c	0	0	0	0
Pitts g	1	3	4	5
Hickey g	2	1	0	5
Wynne g	0	1	1	1
Mitchell g	0	0	0	0
Totals	11	19	14	41
S.M.U.	**Fg.**	**Ft.**	**Pf.**	**Tps.**
Sebeck f	1	4	2	6
Keith f	1	1	4	3
Baccus f	1	1	4	3
Clements f	0	0	0	0
Wilkerson c	0	1	1	1
Welch c	2	1	3	5
Keeton g	3	1	1	7
Lloyd g	2	3	3	7
Totals	10	12	18	32

Score at half—Arkansas 18, Southern Methodist 16.

Free throws missed: J. Adams, Wynne, Keith, Welch, Lloyd.

Officials: Sears and Bushman.

Baylor's Bears Defeat Aggies

WACO —(AP)— Baylor's hustling Bears closed their 1941 Southwest Conference basketball season here Saturday night with a 53 to 39 win over Texas A. and M.

The Bruins got off to a fast start. Terry started things rolling with a short crip shot and with Vaughn and Parks chipping in, grabbed a 16 to 6 lead midway in the first half. Nabors came through with two straight baskets to send the Aggies up, 15 to 22, but the Bruins spurted again to take a 28 to 17 lead at the intermission.

Jack Wilson turned in a fine defensive game to hold Bill Henderson to no field goals during the first half and when he went out after two minutes of the second period, the Aggies started moving, behind Henderson and Lang, to pull up within one point of the Bears, 29 to 28 before Vaughn and Parks started sending the ball through the basket to get 42 to 32 margin with ten minutes left to play.

From then on, the Cadets never had a chance.

Dwight Parks led the scorers with 13 points while Henderson was high for the Aggies with 11.

The score:

Baylor (53)	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Tps.
Parks f	6	1	0	13
Terry f	2	0	0	4
Walters f	2	0	1	4
Bryski c	2	4	4	8
Frivaldsky c	3	2	2	8
Wilson g	1	0	4	2
Vaughn g	6	0	1	12
Belew g	1	0	3	2
Totals	23	7	15	53
A. and M. (39)	**Fg.**	**Ft.**	**Pf.**	**Tps.**
Jarratt f	4	0	0	8
Lang f	1	1	3	3
Cokinos f	1	1	2	3
Dawson c	2	1	3	5
Nabors c	2	1	0	5
Dwyer g	2	0	1	4
Henderson g	4	3	1	11
Klutz g	0	0	2	0
Totals	16	7	12	39

Score at half: Baylor 28, Texas A. and M. 17.

Patty And Betty Are Scheduled For Exhibition Match March 10

BETTY JAMESON

PATTY BERG

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HARLINGEN—Rio Grande Valley golf addicts have quite a treat in store for themselves at the Harlingen municipal course, Monday afternoon, March 10.

Miss Patty Berg of Minneapolis, holder at one time or another, of just about every women's golf title, and Miss Betty Jameson of San Antonio, who can also lay claim to just about every golf honor, will oppose each other in a foursome with two South Texas women shotmakers.

For several years, Patty and Betty have been rivals at golf and each has been forced to congratulate the other several times. Patty recently turned pro but Betty is still listed as an amateur. For this reason they can only meet in an exhibition match but the old rivalry remains as intense as it ever was when both were shooting at various championships.

In order to determine the other two members of the foursome that will play here March 10, an elimination tourney will be played here Monday, March 3, with the two entrants posting the lowest gross scores gaining the honors. Every woman shotmaker in South Texas is invited to play in this elimination tournament, Walden Haynes, Harlingen course manager and pro, has announced.

Miss Berg will give an exhibition of shots and stage a golf clinic the day of the match but the definite hour has not been set for plans are under way for the school age golfers of the Valley to witness this clinic. Since turning pro, Miss Berg has devoted her entire time and energy teaching young people how to play golf and since she is little more than a youngster herself, she knows exactly how to do it.

A luncheon in honor of Miss Berg and Miss Jameson will be held at the Madison Hotel here at 11:30 a. m., March 10, and the public is invited. The price per plate is 50 cents and those intending to attend must register at the local club house no later than March 9 so that proper provision may be made.

Region Tourneys Send Quints To State Meet

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Staff

The San Marcos Rattlers, gathering momentum in the stretch, drove into the state schoolboy basketball play-off for the second straight year Saturday night by capturing the regional title and thus becoming strong favorites to again win the Interscholastic League championship.

San Marcos, loser only to Austin high in the practice schedule, raced over Jefferson (San Antonio) 42-30 for the Region 6 crown, and along with seven other title teams will go to Austin next weekend for the state tournament.

Joining San Marcos in the battle for the championship will be Pampa, Abilene, Waco, Mount Vernon, Jeff Davis (Houston), Bloomington and El Paso High.

San Marcos was one of three of last year's regional titlists to repeat. Abilene came through in region 2 for the third time in four years, and El Paso's Tigers, last season's state runners-up, won in Region 8.

San Marcos defeated Lockhart 24-15 and Jefferson defeated Lytle 37-22 in first round games of Region 6. San Marcos led all the way to beat the San Antonio team handily, with Coers, a member of last year's state championship outfit, setting the pace with 13 points.

Pampa's Harvesters won the Region 1 title with a 34-22 victory over Lubbock's Westerners. Pampa reached the finals with a 26-20 decision over Quail and Lubbock got there by beating Amarillo 29-26.

Abilene had to rally in the last quarter to turn back San Angelo 25-20 for the Region 2 crown. And two players—Gene Dalton and J. E. Smith—scored all of Abilene's points, Dalton with 14 and Smith with 11.

A free throw in the last half-minute gave Waco the Region 3 championship over Sunset (Dallas) 36-35. Waco showed a well-balanced and heads-up team, taking out Burkburnett's high ranked Eagles 57-38 in the semi-finals before beating Sunset's brilliant quintet for the title.

Mount Vernon's unbeaten Tigers rang up their thirtieth consecutive victory in winning the Region 4 championship with a 32-23 victory over Van's widely-heralded outfit. The Tigers broke a 16-all tie after trailing most of the first half, and from then on Mount Vernon had little trouble. Davey Newsome sparked his six-foot teammates with brilliant floor work.

Jeff Davis' mighty Panthers—long a favored team among the top-rated—had only a minimum of difficulty in capturing the Region 5 title, crushing Addicks' Steers 47-21 in the finals. Ed Kelly, Davis center, whipped in 16 points to lead the attack. Davis had staged a garrison finish in the semi-finals to beat out Beaumont 31-29.

Bloomington won the Region 7 championship by the unbelievable score of 21 to 7 over Laredo. Games in which a team makes fewer than ten points have been scarce for several years, what with the emphasis on offense. Bloomington had nosed out Robstown 23-22 to reach the finals.

El Paso was not extended in beating Imperial 35-19 for the region 8 title, but the Tigers had run into trouble in the semi-finals against the hitherto unbeaten Odessa Broncs. The Bengals managed to eke out 24-23.

NAMED CHAIRMAN

RAYMONDVILLE—Stanley Addington has been named Raymondville chairman for the annual membership drive of the Civic Music Association of the Valley.

The drive will start Monday morning, March 3rd. A dinner for workers will be held at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel in Harlingen on Monday evening at 7:30.

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Teams Hang Up New Scoring Record

HOUSTON—(AP)—Rice Institute's Owls defeated the University of Texas, 73 to 64, here Saturday night as the two teams wore out the Southwest Conference total scoring record for a game and practically wore out the basket nets.

Frankie Carswell, Owl guard, easily outclassed Udell Moore of Texas, scoring 19 points as his part in the 137 total of the game, 16 points more than the old record set by Rice and Texas A. and M. here last season. Moore held Carswell to a single point the first time the teams met.

Rice led 37 to 27 at the half, but had to stand off a threatening Texas rally in the last period. Texas pulled up to 59 to 64 with three minutes of the game remaining, but Rice pulled away again and won easily.

The victory cinched second place for the Owls, who also broke their conference season's scoring record. Rice made 645 points in 1941 compared to their 607 last year.

The box:

Rice	Fg.	Ft.	Tps.
Closs f	4	6	14
Pepper f	1	0	2
Lambert f	0	2	2
Palmer f	4	0	8
Qinney c	7	2	16
Carswell g	7	5	19
Selman g	4	4	12
Totals	27	19	73
Texas	**Fg.**	**Ft.**	**Tps**
Granville f	5	3	13
Cooley f	3	1	7
Nelms f	2	2	6
Sander f	5	0	10
Houpt c	3	0	6
Hull g	7	1	15
Moore g	1	3	5
Croucher g	1	0	2
Kulner g	0	0	0
Totals	27	10	64

Officials—Jack Cisco and Doc Hayes.

Personal fouls—Closs 4, Palmer 2, Pepper, Lambert, Kinney, Carswell 2, Selman 2, Granville 4, Cooley 3, Nelms 2, Houpt 2, Hull 4, Moore 4, Sanders 3.

Free throws missed—Closs, Palmer, Kinney 3, Carswell 2, Selman 2, Nelms, Moore 2.

Half-time score—Rice 37, Texas 27.

Miss Cothran Wins In South Atlantic

ORMOND BEACH, Fla. — (AP) — Overcoming a jinx of long standing, Jane Cothran of Greenville, S. C., won the South Atlantic women's golf tournament Saturday with a 5 and 4 victory over Mary Agnes Wall of Menominee, Mich., in the finals.

In four previous attempts, Miss Cothran never got beyond the semi-finals of the South Atlantic.

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Bay View Is Winner At Santa Anita

Big Pebble Stunner At Hialeah

By ROBERT MYERS

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—Bay View, 50 to 1 shot, shook off the challenge of the mighty Mioland and the rest of the brilliant field and sped on through the mud to score a smashing upset victory in the $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap Saturday.

Holding off the stretch charge of the heavily backed Mioland, and snapping the winning streak of millionaire Charles S. Howard, Bay View, carrying the racing silks of Mrs. Anthony Pelleteri, of New Orleans, rushed over the finish line a neck in front of the Oregon bay.

Bolingbroke, another long shot owned by Townsend B. M. Martin of New York, ran a startling third, while William L. Brann's Challedon, second to Mioland in the betting, trailed far back in the pack.

Bay View broke first and was never headed in this mile and one quarter battle over a track that was shiny as a mirror and almost as slippery.

Overshadowed in pre-race predictions by the Howard entry of Mioland and Porter's Cap, by the mighty Marylander, Challedon, Can't Wait, Fairy Chant and the remainder of the starting field of sixteen, Bay View paid off at the largest figure in the seven year old history of this classic—$118.40 to win, $26.20 to place and $9.80 to show.

The sun played hide and seek with storm clouds throughout the afternoon as a throng of 50,000 turf fans turned out for the event but just as the Handicap array came on the track for the parade to the post, Old Sol disappeared behind a cloud bank. It could have served as a warning to lucky Charley Howard that he would find no rainbow and a pot of gold at the end of it this afternoon.

Winner of the Santa Anita Handicap for two consecutive years first with Kayak II and last year with the gallant Seabiscuit, Mioland was the even money choice.

Bay View fairly flew out of the gate, and was leading in a battle with Louis B. Mayers Beautiful II, Hysterical, Woof Woof and Sweepida as they raced down in front of the grandstand.

The plucky Nick Wall kept Bay View in front as they rounded the clubhouse turn, with Sweepida and Porter's Cap taking up the chase close behind and Mioland trailing ninth.

Mioland, with Jockey Buddy Haas aboard, made his move at the far turn, passing Porter's Cap, and the flying California-bred Sweepida. Bay View clung to the pace, however, and it was Bay View and Mioland in the duel for the big prize—$89,360.

Mioland, on the outside, charged up, but Wall gave Bay View another stroke with the whip and he swept on across. Four lengths back came Bolingbroke, while Walter Hoffman's Royal Crusader, took over fourth place.

Mioland paid $3 and $2.60, and Bolingbroke $6.40.

Wall, in scoring the victory, became the first jockey to win two of these Santa Anita Handicaps. He piloted Stagehand to an unexpected victory in 1938.

A total of $388,467 was wagered on the feature — more than the $382,702 wagered on the race in 1940.

Bay View had won but $7,785 in past performances. Saturday's upset built his winnings to $97,145.

By GAYLE TALBOT

MIAMI, Fla.—(AP)—It was just as well that old Col. E. R. Bradley was too ill to come over to Hialeah Park Saturday, for the master of Idle Hour Farm would have seen his beloved Bimelech shut out in the $50,000 Widener Cup race—beaten by a Bradley castoff and two others.

The winner of the classic before a dazed crowd of 21,500 was Big Pebble, bred by Bradley and sold just over a year ago to Mr. and Mrs. Ed S. Moore of Sheridan, Wyoming, for $5,000.

In beating his stablemate, Get Off, by a head in a roaring finish, Big Pebble Saturday returned $51,800 on the investment and must have nearly broken old Colonel Bradley's heart.

Bimelech, the top-heavy favorite, never reached the front as the field of 14 fought it out for a mile and a quarter. This was the race he was to have won to cap his brilliant career before his retirement to the breeding farm. The only time he even threatened was just before the turn into the stretch, when he moved into second place, a neck back of the leader at that stage, Cherry Jam.

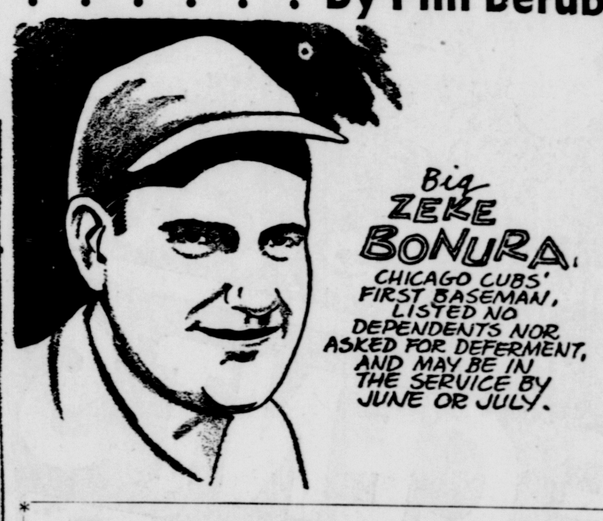
As they entered the stretch Get Off was in front, and he clung to his advantage until about 40 feet from the finish, when Jockey George Seabo pushed Big Pebble past his stablemate to win. Get Off was a length ahead of Haltal, which completed the humiliation of Bimelech by racing past him in the final 16th.

The crowd, chilled by a cold north wind, was so certain of Bimelech's victory that it set a betting record for a single race in Florida—$160,878—and if Bim had won he wouldn't have paid peanuts. Big Pebble paid $34.60 each to the delighted few who held $2 tickets on him.

This was Bimelech's 15th race, and Saturday was the first time he failed to place.

Get Off paid a handsome $26.50 for finishing second, and Haltal $4.00 for the show. Big Pebble's time was 2:02 4/5, a second slower than the Hialeah track record.

BASEBALL HEARS THE BUGLE . . . . . By Phil Berube



1941 Grid Coach Line-Up Regular Jig-Saw Puzzle

By DILLON GRAHAM
Sports Editor, AP Feature Service

NEW YORK—It's been many a year since the post-season shuffling of gridiron coaches involved as many major colleges as it has in 1941.

The roll call of institutions acquiring new mentors reads like a who's who in football—Notre Dame, Army, Boston College, Ohio State Dartmouth, Baylor, Yale, Brown. The list is long.

Ohio State, generally a power in the Western Conference, lost three games last fall, a disastrous year for the Buckeyes, and also lost their tutor, Francis Schmidt, who had piloted the Bucks for seven years, resigned, reportedly under pressure.

The Buckeyes finally reached down into the high school ranks for Schmidt's successor. They chose Paul Brown, who had enjoyed many successful years at Massillon, Ohio.

Notre Dame, customarily rated as one of the country's best, had to search for a new man when Elmer Layden, one of the famed Irish Four Horsemen, resigned to accept a $20,000 a year post as commissioner of professional football.

Leahy To Notre Dame

The Irish selected Frank Leahy, a Notre Dame player under Knute Rockne. Leahy had just signed a five-year contract at Boston College but the Eagles permitted him to accept the Notre Dame offer. Leahy piloted Boston through an unbeaten season and whipped Tennessee in the Sugar Bowl last New Year's day. Boston had not named a successor in mid-February.

The Army bumped into one of its worst seasons in the history of football at West Point and, when its coach, Capt. Bill Woods, was ordered to Fort Bliss, the millary academy called in Earl Blaik of Dartmouth. Blaik, a former Army man who had been an assistant at West Point some years ago, took his whole Dartmouth staff to the Hudson citadel.

These shifts brought about a change at Brown, too. Tuss McLaughry, who had coached there for 15 years, accepted an offer to succeed Blaik at Dartmouth. And Brown, which had had only three coaches in the past 51 years, selected J. Neil (Skip) Stahley, a Harvard assistant, as its new head man.

Paddy Driscoll left Marquette and was replaced by Tom Stidham of Oklahoma. Stidham's assistant, Dewey Luster, succeeded him at Oklahoma.

Pond Out At Yale

Yale, which was subjected to some humiliating defeats, let out Raymond (Ducky) Pond and named Emerson Nelson, a former Iowa star who had been an Eli assistant, as his replacement.

After some two decades of coaching, Morley Jennings resigned as Baylor coach. Chet Benefiel left Tulsa and was followed by Henry Frnka. Pete Cawthon left Texas Tech when that school elected to de-emphasize the grid game. Jimmy Kitts, Rice coach for several years before Jess Neely took over last fall, caught on at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, where Henry Redd relinquished the tutoring role to become athletic director.

Wesley Fesler, former Ohio State All-America end and an assistant at Harvard, was named head coach at Wesleyan. Fred Brice resigned at Maine after 20 years and was replaced by Eck Allen, a former assistant at Brown. Moon Mullins, who piloted little St. Ambrose to an undefeated season, accepted an assistant coaching post at Florida. Jim Yeager, from Iowa State, was chosen as Colorado coach.

Two changes were made in professional football. Greasy Neale gave up his assistant's role at Yale to become coach of the Pittsburgh team of the National League, while Bill Edwards of Cleveland, who produced three undefeated teams in six years at Western Reserve, took charge of the Detroit Lions. After Detroit released him George (Potsy) Clark signed as Grand Rapids, Mich., university coach.

One of the latest developments saw John O'Dell Morgan, line coach at Rice Institute, named head football coach at Texas Tech and Jennings take over as athletic director.

Baseball Banter

By JUDSON BAILEY

NEW YORK—(AP)—Most baseball people believe the Yankees' surprise sale of Babe Dahlgren to the Boston Bees was because Prexy Ed Barrow had become irritate at his holding out . . . That's why the Giants dropped Suitcase Seeds Friday . . . The same factor is likely to promote some other deals this month by other clubs . . . Tropical Stadium at Havana, where the Brooklyn Dodgers train, is so big that Larry MacPhail's mighty men couldn't make any home runs, but the Brooklyn magician remedied that . . . He had a wire fence built inside the park, 350 feet from home plate at the sidelines and 495 feet in centerfield, and in the first exhibition game catcher Herman Franks poled a homer over it. . . . Anbody else got any problems?

Pitcher Joe Dobson told of a railroad conductor who asked him if he had a roundtrip ticket on the way to the Boston Red Sox' camp . . . Some of the Cleveland pitchers are stuffing cotton in their ears because of the shrill whistling indulged in by George Susce, the coach who catches batting practice.

The Dodgers just can't ever get over being Dodgers . . . In their first exhibition game they got their batting order mixed up and Dolph Camilli went to the plate out of turn . . . Bucky Walters went to more than 130 banquets during the winter . . . Bill Lee, whose salary has been sliced so deep he hasn't even gone to California, let alone to the Chicago Cubs' training base at Catalina Island, was the club's highest paid player only two years ago.

Lefty Gomez felt so good after cutting lose at the Yanks' St. Petersburg camp he yelled, "I'll make MacPhail sicker than hell." . . . Reminiscent of his near-trade to the Dodgers, of course . . . One of the reasons Casey Stengel is happy (if he is) comes from the fact Eddie Miller, the Bees' star shortstop, has quit being a lone wolf and has started chumming with one and all.

Bill Lee Talks About Salary

DALLAS—(AP)—Big Bill Lee, Chicago Cub holdout pitcher, followed the beagles Saturday, but his mind was on baseball.

"Five thousand dollars is too much of a cut for me to take," he protested while watching three of his six dogs compete in the Southern Beagle Club's four-day field trials.

"The Cubs paid me $17,500 last season and I'm willing to take a cut of $2,500. But $5,000—hmmmmh! That's too much."

Lee, mopping his forehead after a mad dash through brush and thicket, said he had written directly to President Wrigley explaining why he thought he deserved at least $15,000.

"I'm going back to Louisiana if I haven't received the right answer by Sunday, but I'm keeping in shape and will be in top condition if and when I report to Catalina Island."

Bolton Boone, Jr., To Exhibit Buzzophone At Inventor's Meet

HARLINGEN—Bolton Boone, Jr., 13-year-old son of Rev. and Mrs. Bolton Boone of Dallas, formerly of Harlingen, will be the youngest exhibitor at the Inventors of America four-day convention beginning in Dallas Monday, according to Associated Press dispatch from Dallas Saturday.

He will display a "Buzzophone," a flat device about the size of a typewriter, which produces tones when one or more of six keys are pressed.

Jenkins Fought Ambers With Two Bruised Hands

NEW YORK—(AP)—A possible reason for Lew Jenkins' failure to show his usual punching deadliness in the early rounds against Lou Ambers Friday night was discovered Saturday when it was learned the lightweigh champion had both his hands treated by Dr. Peter Mogull a few hours before the fight.

The physician disclosed Saturday that the muscles inside the thumbs on both Jenkins' hands were severely bruised, and that "he was definitely in the ring under a handicap."

The Texan finally stopped Ambers in the seventh round.

Golfers To Meet At Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE — Rio Grande Valley golfers will gather at the Brownsville Country Club Monday night to complete organization plans for the Valley Golf Association which came into existance at a meeting held in Harlingen two weeks ago.

Hill Cocke, permanent chairman of the association, issues an invitation to all persons in the Valley interested in golf and the staging of a Valley Open at Harlingen either in December or February.

The business meeting will be preceded by a "Dutch Treat" dinner at the local club house.

ATTEND MEETING

PHARR—O. E. Avery of Pharr, Chas. Parrott, Bob Dunham, and Woodrow Wilson of McAllen attended the meeting and dinner of Dr. Pepper salesmen held in Brownsville Thursday night, with Frank Davis of Brownsville as host for the meeting.

Figure In Slaying Leaves California

GLENDALE, Calif. — (AP) — Mrs. Winnie Jean Hawkins, object of a quarrel in which her husband, Robert L. Hawkins, is charged with slaying Clinton Numan Thompson, left Saturday with relatives for her former home in Hollis, Okla.

Hawkins was held for trial March 17 on a murder charge after officers testified he told them he returned home unexpectedly last Sunday morning and surprised his wife and Thompson embracing in Mrs. Hawkins' bedroom.

RAF Bags 3 Germans

LONDON — (AP) — British fighter planes swept over northern France Saturday afternoon and shot down three German fighters without loss, the ministry of information announced.

Training Camp Chatter

HAVANA — (AP) — The Brooklyn Dodgers humbled the New York Giants again Saturday, 10 to 5, with a four-run outburst in the first inning and a five-run flurry in the seventh.

Herman Franks, Brooklyn's third-string catcher hit a triple and three singles Saturday while rookie Kemp Wicker monopolized pitching honors by holding the Giants to three hits and no runs for four innings.

SARASOTA, Fla.—(AP)—Ted Williams, missing holdout outfielder of the Boston Red Sox, has been given a few more days to consider his 1941 contract, Manager Joe Cronin learned Saturday in a telephone conversation with General Manager Eddie Collins.

ORLANDO, Fla. —(AP)— Manager Bucky Harris Saturday ordered double drills daily for the Nationals. He divided his 44 players into two sections, turning over the morning to the regulars and the afternoon to the rookies.

FT. MYERS, Fla.—(AP)—A team of still-hopeful Cleveland rookies opens spring training intra-squad competition Sunday by taking on the near-champions of 1940.

TAMPA, Fla.—(AP)—The month of March brought Eddie Joost into the Cincinnati Reds camp like a lamb Saturday and he deserted the holdout ranks and signed that paper.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—(AP)—Runing his squad through strenuous workouts, Manager Billy Southworth of the St. Louis Cardinals appeared pleased Saturday over the physical condition of the 32 players in camp.

Infielder Eddie Lake has signed his contract, it was announced.

SAN ANTONIO —(AP)— Manager Fred Haney said Saturday the Browns would not go in for the customary squad practice games until the regular exhibition contests are started.

AVALON, Calif.—(AP)—The mystery of the missing pitcher was solved Saturday when Claude Passeau, No. 1 Chicago Cub hurler, arrived in spring training camp three days late.

Passeau dismissed his tardiness with the brief explanation that "I had some unfinished business to attend to."

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—(AP)—Five more players donned New York Yankee uniforms Saturday to participate in a three-hour workout which Manager Joe McCarthy insisted upon in spite of 45-degree temperature and a stiff breeze.

The additional players included George Selkirk and John Murphy, both of whom signed contracts Friday.

Texas Loop Announces Few Schedule Changes

DALLAS—(AP)—Slight changes in the official playing schedule of the Texas Baseball League, as adopted at the recent Houston meeting, were announced here Saturday by league officials.

The season opens on April 13 and closes on Sunday, September 7, with 154 games played in 148 days. Six double-headers will be played by each club, two of which are carded on July 4 and Labor Day—the other four on Sundays.

All clubs will take an off-day on Wednesday, July 16, date for the sixth annual All-Star game at Beaumont.

The opening day schedule is now as follows:

Sunday, April 13: Fort Worth at Dallas; Tulsa at Oklahoma City; Houston at Beaumont, and San Antonio at Shreveport.

Tuesday, April 15: Dallas at Fort Worth.

Wednesday, April 16: Oklahoma City at Tulsa, Beaumont at Houston, Shreveport at San Antonio.

Arkansas Porkers Want National Cage Crown

By FELIX R. McKNIGHT

DALLAS — (AP) — Popularly, and deservedly, rated the best basketball team in Southwest history, University of Arkansas has one more objective—a National title.

The tall Mountaineers, rulers of the Southwest Conference for the ninth time in 15 seasons and holders of the team scoring record for a single season, are torn between two National tourneys.

From Madison Square Garden in New York has come an invitation to compete in the Invitational tourney. But the National Collegiate Athletic Association also wants the Porkers.

Decision probably will be made by the school's athletic council Monday at Fayetteville, Ark. Coach Glen Rose, shy tutor of the six foot, four inch average five that has lost only two games—both to the National AAU Champions, the Phillips Oilers, said the council's decision would be final.

James St. Clair, representative of the Western region of the N. C. A. A. has strongly indicated Arkansas would be invited to participate in the Kansas City Western eliminations March 21-22. The winner of that meeting between four picked teams of the West, will meet the Eastern champions in Kansas City on March 29 for the National title.

Analysis of the Arkansas success reveals a few hidden qualities.

Object of jibes from the players and fans only a season ago because of the awkardness fairly dripping from his six foot, eight inch frame, John Freiberger, the center, stumbled along until he developed his finesse.

Now he rates as a most damaging influence on the Porker five, and that takes in Johnny Adams, the phenomenal scorer who makes the headlines. Freiberger is the man who holds down the score.

Through eleven games opposing centers scored only 48 points on the Porkers.

The Porkers are essentially a high scoring team. No freeze-the-ball tactics are used.

Coach Rose encourages a fire-when-ready style because of the team's height; admits he might have to go back to more cautious play when shorter material comes along.

Amnesia Victim Is Los Angeles Woman

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Police said Saturday that a 20-year-old amnesia victim has been identified at the county hospital as Miss Ann Hefter of Los Angeles. The woman registered at the Y.W.C.A. here Wednesday night and spent one night there. She was taken to the hospital Thursday night by an unidentified man who disappeared while she was being given a preliminary examination.

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Highland Park's Coach Smiles Over Track Team

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF

DALLAS—(AP)—Pounding feet on cinders are playing a symphony sweet to the ears of Floyd Remington Hightower.

They say "championship, championship," as Highland Park's mighty men of the track whirl toward record-smashing marks.

Unlike most coaches, Hightower not only is optimistic privately but he lets the sport writers in on it.

"I think we have an excellent chance of repeating with the state high school championship," he said as he looked over some of the times and distances of his veteran team.

Last spring the Scotties scored 13 points to win the state title and bring to Highland Park its first major championship. Of that illustrious team Ralph Schrimpf, the clinch runner in the half mile and relay, has moved on.

But Larry Wolf, winner of the most thrilling quarter mile race in history—least as far as Hightower was concerned—is back, and along with him are four crack relay runners, a fine half-miler and a pole vaulter due to go places.

Wolf, Hightower thinks, should come mighty close to smashing the state record in the 440-yard dash, a matter of 49 seconds. Wolf won at the state meet last season, running it in 50 seconds against the wind. He had made the event in under 50 several times prior to that.

Then, Hightower believes his mile relay team should be tops with Wolf, Tommy Winn, Alex Page, Jimmy Sells and Layden Stroude, all veterans. Port Arthur had to break the record at Austin to beat out Winn, Page, Schrimpf and Wolf.

Wolf this year will run the 100, 440 and relay. He is a 10.1 second man in the century dash.

Other bright spots are Bill Hannum's work in the pole vault, Winn in the half mile and Dick Duemler in the middle distances.

Hannum, who came here from California, already has made 11 feet 6 inches in the pole vault this season.

Duemler, ineligible last year, is a 52-second quarter-miler and a star in the 220-yard dash.

Winn ran the half mile in 2:06 in 1940 and Hightower looks for him to get it down to two minutes this season.

Hightower expects rugged competition in his own region, what with Sunset (Dallas) turning up with some high class hurdlers and dash men.

And he finds Brady, the 1939 champion, back with five lettermen and a menace to his hopes at the state meet.

Highland Park has mapped an ambitious schedule of ten meets, including the Brady Relays, Fort Worth Fat Stock Show meet, East Texas Relays, Texas Relays and Dallas invitation.

Al Blozis Hangs Up New Indoor Shot Put Record

NEW YORK—(AP)—Fordham split the honors with giant Al Blozis of Georgetown and Leslie MacMitchell of New York University in the 20th annual indoor track and field championships of the Intercollegiate A.A.A.A. Saturday night.

The Rams captured team honors. Blozis broke all indoor records for the shot put, with the second-best heave that's ever been recorded, and MacMitchell won the mile run for the second straight year and in doing so broke a nine-year-old meet record.

Fordham, clinching honors by winning the two-mile relay and taking four more points with second in the mile relay, won with 25 1-4 points. Pittsburgh and New York U., 1940 winner, tied for second at 18.

Blozis, 245-pound Georgetown University football player, put the 16-pound ball 56 feet 6 inches. It topped his IC4A indoor mark of 55 feet 3 1-4 and his world indoor record of 55 feet 8 3-4, and was only seven inches short of the all-time outdoor record set by Louisiana State's Jack Torrance in Oslo, Norway, in 1934.

MacMitchell, New York U's great miler, wiped one of the older IC4A records off the books as he retained his mile title in the grand time of 4 minutes 12 seconds. He bettered the mark set by Pen Hallowell of Harvard by four-tenths of a second.

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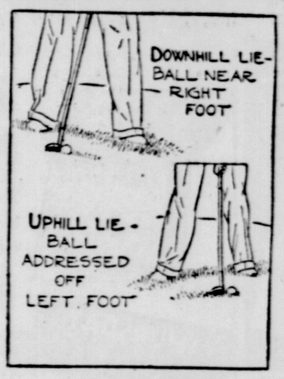

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Miss Ruth Griffin Is Bride Of Roy Spence In Nuptials Solemnized Saturday

McALLEN—Only the glow from myriads of candles lighted the First Methodist Church Saturday night when Miss Ruth Griffin, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Griffin, became the bride of Roy Spence of Brownsville, son of R. M. Spence of Eagle Pass. The formal ceremony was read at eight o'clock before 450 guests.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. F. H. Hamner against a background of palm-shaped ferns, spectacularly lighted with row upon row of candles.

As they faced, a huge basket, filled with lofty arrangements of calla lilies and white gladioli, the young couple exchanged their vows. Candles topped the fern-draped chancel and choir rails and the organ where Phelan Dorn softly played nuptial music as the wedding vows were spoken. Flanking the floral effect were four floor candelabra whose light added to the effectiveness of the scene.

The candles were lighted by the bride's only brother, Gordon Griffin, Jr., just before members of the couple's families entered the church. Miss Daisy Ellen Polk of Pharr, gowned in a frock of white organza in contrast with a shoulder corsage of pink carnations, sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly" to the accompaniment of the organ.

When the wedding party entered the long white-carpeted center aisle, bordered with fern, the notes of the organ sounded the "Wedding March" from Wagner's "Lohengrin."

Miss Harriette Hagedorn of Edinburg and Miss Verlynn Bonner of McAllen, bridesmaids, wore matching full-skirted frocks of aqua mousseline de soie. The tight basques of their gowns were fitted from dropped shoulders bound with dainty rosettes of the same shade, and puffed sleeves. Veils of the same color flowed about their shoulders. Yellow iris and white narcissi, showered with the latter flowers, formed the colonial bouquets each carried in her lace-covered hands.

Miss Gloria Yzaguirre was maid of honor. Her gown was fashioned like the bridesmaids' but of yellow mousseline de soie in contrast with her brunette coloring. Her bouquet was made from blue iris and yellow poeticus. Its aqua streamers were tied with yellow poeticus.

In her all-white bridal dress, the bride entered with her father who gave her in marriage. Filmy yards of marquisette fashioned her wedding gown. The filled in sweetheart neckline of the gown was bound in twin rows of lace-edged ruffles. From the V-shaped bodice the voluminous skirt flowed into a long train. It, too, was edged with matching twin rows of ruffles, edged in lace. Her lace gloves were elbow-length. A coronet of seed-pearls caught the finger tip length veil to her head. White iris and orange blossoms formed the bride's colonial shaped bouquet. Its white satin shower ribbons were tied with orange blossoms.

The groom's brother, J. W. Spence of Houston, was his best man. Ushers were Fred Pilgrim of Brownsville, Walter Fitch of Eagle Pass, and the bride's brother, Gordon.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Griffin was most attractive in a soft pink chiffon and lace frock with a corsage of sweetheart roses and blue delphinium.

Immediately after the ceremony there was a reception at the Griffin home for members of the two families, the wedding party and a few intimate friends. Here the new bride cut the first piece of the four-tiered wedding cake, which was topped by a tiny bride and groom. The cake flanked one end of the serving table in the dining room. At the other was a punch bowl, circled with orange blossoms. Twin tapers burned on the table.

Mrs. Lauro Izaguirre served the cake and Miss Cathryne Melton the punch while Miss Mary Virginia Polk presided at the bride's book. Assisting were Mrs. J. C. Monk, Miss Lucille Wiley, Mrs. George Gaddy and Mrs. O. K. Gilvin.

For traveling Mrs. Spence wore a simple blonde crepe frock and a blue, fitted coat. Her accessories were black. For her corsage she used blue iris.

After a week's stay at Monterrey, the couple will be at home at Brownsville, where he is assistant

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Shary Home Is Scene For Smart Courtesy Honoring Four Guests

MISSION—Prominent in the social events of the week was the coffee given Thursday morning when Mrs. John H. Shary and Miss Lavinia Bourgeois entertained at the Shary home to honor Mrs. Pat Riley, Mrs. Thomas R. Burnett, Mrs. Lein Bourgeois and Mrs. Allan Shivers. Mrs. Riley and Mrs. Bourgeois are recent brides. Mrs. Burnett has recently moved to Brownsville after a residence of more than 20 years in Mission and Mrs. Shivers, whose home is in Port Arthur, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shary.

A variety of spring blossoms created a decorative note of seasonal accent as a background for the receiving line and about the reception suite. More than 150 guests called during the hours and were received by Mrs. Shary, Mrs. Riley, Miss Bourgeois, Mrs. Bourgeois, Mrs. Burnett and Mrs. Shivers. Mrs. Leon H. Brown and Mrs. Loyd Brasher greeted the guests at the door.

A score of close friends of the hostesses and the honor guests formed the house party. All wore corsages fashioned of dainty spring blossoms in shades harmonizing with their frocks. In the red drawing room of the home, Mrs. Percy Herman of McAllen and Mrs. Roy K. Straw greeted the guests. Distinctive arrangements of white calla lilies at one end of the room and deep red carnations at the other end gave a delightful floral touch to the room.

In the dining room, great sprays of dainty pink gladioli filled a silver vase at one end of the table where the fruit and creamed turkey courses were served. On the buffet, pink carnations were mingled with yellow acadia blossoms to give further springtime charm. Mrs. Herbert C. Jeffries and Mrs.

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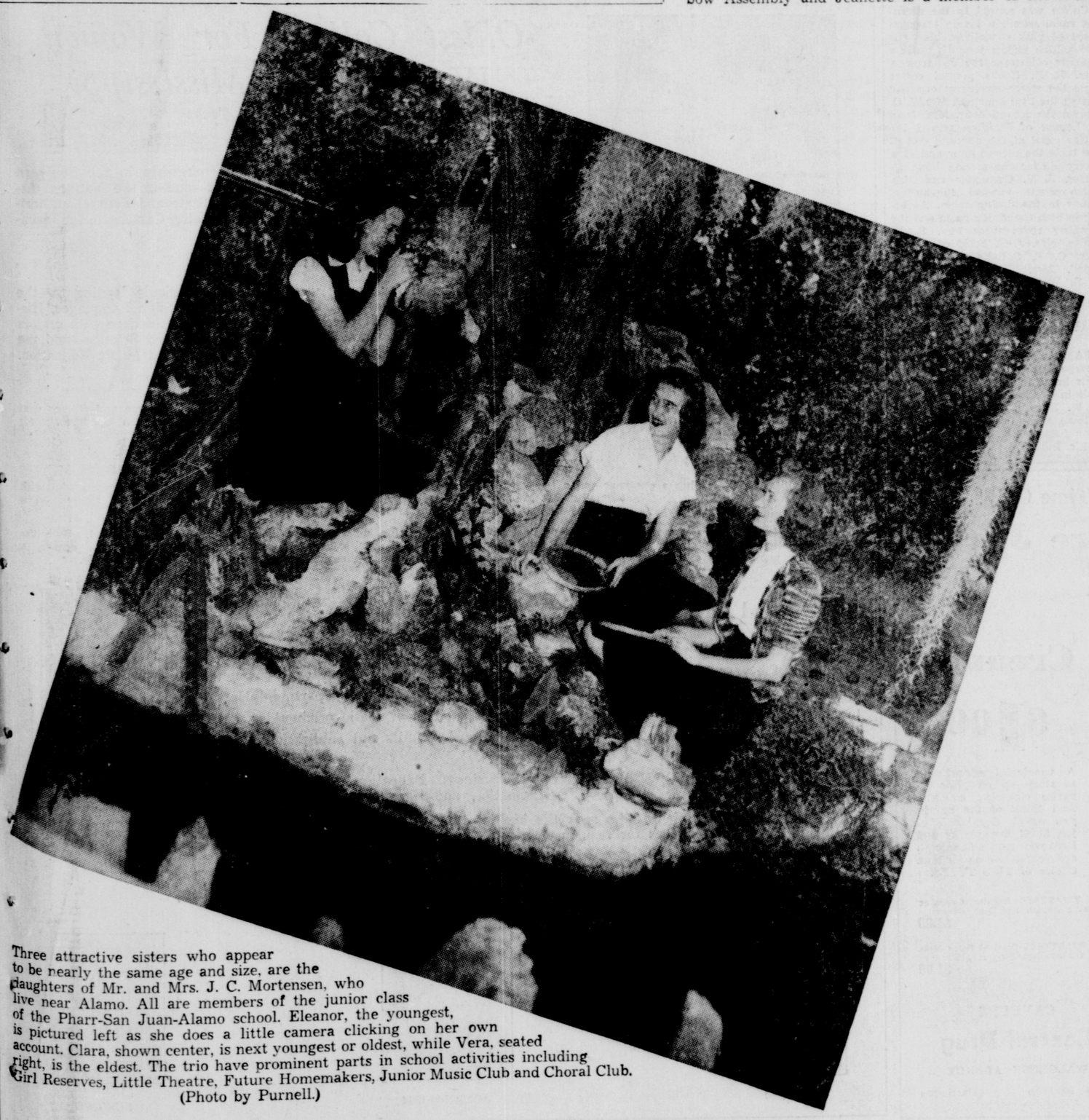
A most unusual quartet are the four sisters, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Toothaker of Alamo, snapped by the camera as they made a spirited promenade across the greens at the McAllen golf course. Pictured left to right, they are, Marion, Patricia, Jeanette and Lucille. Marion is a sophomore in Pharr-San Juan-Alamo high school; Patricia, (generally known as Patty) is a freshman at Edinburg Junior College; Jeanette is a senior in Pharr-San Juan-Alamo high school; and Lucille, who graduated from Edinburg Junior College last year, is now employed in San Antonio. The three younger girls are all members of the Rainbow Assembly and Jeanette is a member of the A Cappella Choir. (Staff Photo.)



Three attractive sisters who appear to be nearly the same age and size, are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mortensen, who live near Alamo. All are members of the junior class of the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo school. Eleanor, the youngest, is pictured left as she does a little camera clicking on her own account. Clara, shown center, is next youngest or oldest, while Vera, seated right, is the eldest. The trio have prominent parts in school activities including Girl Reserves, Little Theatre, Future Homemakers, Junior Music Club and Choral Club. (Photo by Purnell.)

Bride-Elect Of March 9 Honored In San Benito With Large Tea, Shower

SAN BENITO—Miss Emalee Wells of Brownsville, a former San Benito girl and bride-elect of Wayne Louis Hartman of Cuero, was honoree Saturday afternoon for a tea and crystal shower of particular charm given at the country home of Mrs. C. M. Cash. Hostesses were Mrs. Cash, Mrs. Frost Bohner, Mrs. R. J. East, and Mrs. E. E. Ogden.

Marriage of Miss Wells, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wells of Brownsville, and Mr. Hartman will take place Sunday, March 9.

Pretty distinction was given floral arrangements and other details by representation of a yellow and white color theme. About guest rooms were lovely arrangements of yellow and white flowers, intermingling of orange blossoms giving emphasis to the bridal theme.

Receiving with the hostess were school friends of the honoree, Miss Mary Katherine Ogden, wearing pink net, and Miss Jane Bohner in blue net. Mrs. Bohner was attired in black velvet. Mrs. Cash chose blue lace, Mrs. R. J. East wore blue chiffon and Mrs. Ogden black chiffon. Mrs. Wells, mother of the bride, was becomingly attired in navy.

The honoree was especially attractive in a classic formal frock of white chiffon, which accented her vivid brunette coloring.

Simplicity and beauty were combined in decoration of the table which was laid with lace and centered with exquisite blossoms in yellow and white. Mrs. Stanley Dodds and Mrs. Jim Sweeney served the tea dainties which reflected the favored colors.

Guest list for the affair included: Mesdames J. P. Dyer, Pat O'Brien, P. J. DeGuerrin, Asa Agar, Ralph Agar, Chas. Barber, Ione Allen, E. L. Barmore, Jessie Betts, Chas. Bowie, Paul Cottrell, Frank Carter, Bert Epstein, W. E. Johnson, Wade Kientz, Tom Marchbanks, A. W. Polzin, Frank Sublett, L. B. Mayer, R. G. Treon, Paul Bruce, Fred Wedegartner, Earl Reed, W. J. Vinsant,

W. D. Holland, John Clark, Floyd Worth, A. M. Hervey, Bill Craven, Ben Shoemaker, E. M. Carroll, Bill Gilbert, Robert Gay, R. B. Stewart, J. D. Casey, Jim Bowie, Knox Smith, Claud Atkins, Bob McCalpin.

Misses Dolly Vinsant, Jean Agar, Aline East, and Pampa Hadden of San Benito, Mrs. J. D. Strauss of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Maude Senger, of Chicago, Ill.

Mesdames Mike Breham, Lew Palmer, Roy Tolson, A. C. Capron, Schrum, Frances McFadden, Tom Burton, Clarkson Cowgill, R. B. Creager, Jesse Dennett, Roy Holcomb, S. D. Ray and Volney Taylor, Misses Josephine Taylor, Marizelle Taylor, Elizabeth Canales, Inez Brulay, Mary Patrick and Elizabeth Holcomb of Brownsville.

Mrs. R. Kokernut, Cuero, Mesdames Sam Botts, Tom George, Adolph Rabel, Jr., and Dave Schuepbach and Miss Julia Botts of Harlingen, and Mesdames W. W. Huitt and Lloyd Parker of Olmito.

Pair Recently Wed Visit In Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Andreas and family have had as guests in their home Mr. and Mrs. Daniel James White of San Antonio. Mrs. White is the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andreas and the former Miss Gladys Andreas. Marriage of the couple took place in San Antonio Sunday, February 16.

Mr. and Mrs. White have departed for San Antonio, Corpus Christi, and Dallas, but will return in a few days to Brownsville for a further visit with her parents.

They expect to leave the latter part of March for Panama and will be at home after April 1 in Colon, Republic of Panama.

McAllen Man Is Feted On Birthday

McALLEN—A group of friends surprised Fred Bevil on his birthday this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron.

Bunco was played during the evening and refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. John Wiesehan, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ginitte, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bevil, Alex Cameron, Lancer Bevil and Henry Cameron.

Couple Is Honored On 52nd Anniversary

ALAMO—The fifty-second wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Clarke was feted on Thursday evening with a dinner party at the Casa de Palmas hotel.

Mrs. Clarke's sisters, Mrs. H. E. Palmer of Dayton, Ohio, and Mrs. Eva Wayne of Long Beach, California, and friends, Mrs. Anna Wilson and Wesley Donahue of Dayton, Ohio, all of whom are winter visitors in Alamo, and their daughter, Mrs. Helen Wilkin of Alamo, were guests.

Engagement Announced At Coffee

PHARR—At an informal coffee given Saturday from 10 to 11 o'clock, Mrs. F. D. Malone of Frisco, Texas, announced the engagement and coming marriage of her daughter, Miss Louise Malone, to A. C. Henley of McAllen. The pretty morning hospitality was held at the Cactus Tea Room in Mission and included in the guest personnel friends from several Valley towns.

Blending effectively were the blossoms used in graceful profusion and chosen to express a color motif of yellow and white. Yellow and white lupine in a low bowl centered the coffee board which was spread with transparent white over a yellow foundation.

Guests were greeted at the door by Miss Linden Anderson.

The bride-elect was smartly attired in a morning frock of new black spring crepe, relieved by a frill of lingerie at the neck, and a corsage of white carnations. Her mother wore a modish frock of black crepe with corsage of pink carnations, and Mrs. E. G. Reynolds, who received with them, chose a spring print and corsage of wine-colored carnations.

Miss Elizabeth Malone of Henderson, Texas, another sister of the honoree, presided at the guest book, and Mrs. T. J. Copeland, assisted by Mrs. M. D. Price, presided at the coffee service.

During the hour for receiving a delightful background of music was furnished by Mrs. H. A. Cox and Miss Lenden Anderson. Mrs. J. B. Malone of Austin presented to each guest single white gardenias tied with white satin ribbon. On the petals was inscribed the announcement, "A. C. and Louise, June 17th."

Forming the personnel were Mrs. J. B. Malone, Austin; Miss Elizabeth Malone, Henderson; Mrs. F. D. Malone, Frisco; Mrs. C. E. Briggs, Corpus Christi; Miss Frances City, Mena, Ark.; Miss Alta Yates, Edinburg; Mrs. Morris Jones, Weslaco.

Mesdames Horace Etchinson, W. W. Dees, T. J. Powell, Sam L. Miller, and Miss Marie Lawson, McAllen. Mesdames Albert Schlichter,

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Rowland-Gregory Nuptials Announced

HARLINGEN—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gregory of Harlingen announce the marriage of their daughter, Joyce, to Richard Rowland, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rowland of La Feria. The wedding took place Saturday, February 15. The couple has established a home in Edinburg.

Style Show To Portray Many Periods

MERCEDES — Plans are being completed for the period style show, sponsored by the Mercedes Chapter of Bundles for Britain, which will be held in the junior high school auditorium March 14.

Dresses, some of which date as early as 1850, were lent by Mesdames D. R. Brower, Blake Seay, Morris Allen, H. J. Menton, W. W. Collier, and William Hood.

Mrs. Gilbert, show supervisor, is trying to locate a costume representative of the Flapper Era, or the 1920's, and someone to model an 1892 dress, which is smaller than a size 9.

Models entered by the Mercedes Chapter in the McAllen style show Sunday received several places. Misses Jackie Johnson, Lane Smith, and Betty Jo McKinney, and Mrs. Harry Bowman modeled the dresses.

Members of Beta Sigma Phi, Gamma Omego enjoyed games of bridge in the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Alston Wednesday night. Mrs. Leah Lyle received the high score prize and Miss Leona Hawkins the consolation prize.

Plans were completed at the meeting for the dance to be given Saturday, March 8, at the Mercedes Stockyards. Tickets will be on sale Monday, Mrs. Jordan Davis, social chairman has announced.

Committees are, decoration, Mrs. Tommy Terry, Miss Helen Teal Stotler, Mrs. Leah Lyle; property, Miss Jackie Johnson, Mrs. Elizabeth Alston, Miss Leona Hawkins, Miss Mahalah Hamner; refreshments, Mrs. Jordan Davis, Mrs. Tommy Terry, and Miss Jackie Johnson; and advertising, Misses Dorothy Sue Perry, Harriet Kidder, Dorris Griffin, Mrs. William Dudley, and Mrs. Floyd Langford.

MISS GRIFFIN WED SATURDAY

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manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Company.

The bride, who has lived most of her life in McAllen, graduated from local schools and from the University of Texas, where she was a member of the Alphi Phi Sorority. For the past year and a half she has been an instructor at the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo schools.

Friday night members of the wedding party and several out-of-town guests were entertained by the Griffins at a rehearsal dinner at the Casa de Palmas Hotel. Quantities of pastel-toned sweetpeas were used as floral decorations on the white covered table. At the place of each member of the wedding party was a gift from the bride and groom.

Guests were the honored couple, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Griffin, Gordon Griffin Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spence of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fitch of Eagle Pass, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pilgrim of Brownsville, R. M. Spence of Eagle Pass, Phelan Dorn, Gloria Yzaguirre, John Stephen of Austin, Daisy Ellen Polk, Robert Lynn, Harriette Hagedorn, Verlynn Bonner and Al Martin, the latter of Edinburg.

Flag Is Presented To Donna School By Auxiliary, P.-T.A.

DONNA — At the assembly hour Thursday Mrs. Andrew Champion, as president of the Legion Auxiliary, presented a large American flag with staff and stand to the elementary school. The gift was made jointly by the Legion Auxiliary and the Elementary P.-T. A. Mrs. Bert Marley, P.-T. A. president assisted in the presentation.

Mrs. Walter G. Weaver gave a stirring address, stressing the history of Texas under six flags in recognition of the approach of Texas' Independence Day.

Hirons-McDougle Nuptials Announced

PHARR—Mrs. Evelyn McDougle, daughter of William Grentzenberg of San Antonio, became the bride of Ray Hirons of San Antonio, son of Mrs. J. E. Hirons, Friday, February 21.

Dr. Robert E. Goodrich officiated at the wedding which took place in the Laurel Heights Methodist church at San Antonio with only the immediate families and a few close friends of the couple witnessing the ceremony.

After a honeymoon trip to Monterrey, Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Hirons spent a few days in Pharr with his mother, Mrs. J. E. Hirons, leaving Friday afternoon for San Antonio, where they will be at home at 113 Armour Place.

Newlyweds Make Fort Riley Home

McALLEN—Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Davidson have announced the marriage of their youngest daughter, Lucille, to Ray Randal of Mineral Wells.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Randal of Mineral Wells.

The newlyweds will make their home at Fort Riley, Kansas, where the groom is stationed with the United States Army.

Visit In Mission

MISSION — Mr. and Mrs. Ted M. Melden, Jr., and son, Ted, III, of Cincinnati, O., arrived Tuesday for a week's visit with Mr. Melden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Meden, Sr., at their home on Shary Boulevard. Sally Beth, young daughter of the visitors, is staying with her maternal grandmother in Nashville, Tenn., while her parents are away. Mr. Melden, Jr., is a pilot with the American Airlines.

Wedding Set For March 14

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reese of McAllen have announced the engagement and marriage March 14 of their daughter, Ann, to Morris Cain of Pharr. The ceremony will be solemnized at the home of the bride-elect's parents in McAllen.

Committees Announced

SAN JUAN—Committees were announced by Mrs. J. E. Wilkins, president, at the meeting of the newly organized San Juan Garden Club Wednesday.

New committees for the year are: Year book, Mesdames W. D. Cummings, O. H. Stugard, and Paul Hetrick; civic, F. C. Gordon, Tommy Lovett and H. S. Dean; social and finance, Frank N. Hall, J. Beaty Smith, T. A. Kimmel and L. C. Jefferson; bougainvillea, B. L. Miller, Randall Hensley and Earl Reed; membership, H. D. Munal, Clark Mellenbruch and Alfred Sorensen; telephone, J. Lee Stambaugh, A. A. Williams and Ray Fraim; exchange and courtesy, Paul Reichert, L. F. Moore and H. S. Hancock; publicity, Lee M. Green and T. E. Thompson.

Mrs. B. L. Miller had charge of the program. She gave a poem, "Garden and You," by Molly Anderson; Mrs. Frank Denzer, president of the Alamo Garden Club, gave a talk on plant families and plant classifications.

The roll call for next week will be the name of native trees and something about them.

Mrs. Earl Reed was made a new member of the club.

ENGAGEMENT IS TOLD AT COFFEE

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S. P. Nycum, Wm. G. Davis, Burt Coate, Garland Akin, T. J. Copeland, Joe Ellis, A. V. Peterson, M. D. Price, Frank Houghton, Charles T. Decker, Misses Daisy Ellen, Mary Virginia and Frances Polk.

Mesdames Ray Brooks, H. A. Cox, J. Lee Stambaugh, D. U. Buckner, Guy Ritchey, O. C. Emery, M. E. Burkhart, Misses Margarita Wendel, Mary Jakl, Ruth Gold, Mary Louise Walker, Gloria Yzaguirre, Ruth Griffin, Ethel Carman, Lucile Copeland, Ruth Greenfield, Mary Ann Wall, Mary Jewel Ferguson, Emily Broughton, Christine Crawford, Ann Smith, Geraldine Palmer, Winona Winn.

Mesdames A. M. Kelley, D. C. Hogan, Geo. Leach, U. Edward Baker, Bormann Baker, Edwin Lagrange, and E. G. Reynolds.

Recent Bride Is Honored

PHARR — Mrs. Alvis Wilson, formerly Miss Eva Callis, was named honoree at the meeting Tuesday night of the Eastern Star Chapter when members arranged a pretty party and social for the new bride.

Sweetpeas in pastel shades, and yellow nasturtiums formed decorations.

The honoree was presented with beautiful gifts from the entire chapter. The presentation was made by Mrs. Rex Norman, who gave an impressive tribute poem written for the occasion by Mrs. June Avery.

In the series of contests, Archie Carlson won the prize, a beautiful sandwich tray, and presented it to Mrs. Wilson.

Refreshments of cookies, sandwiches and punch were served by Mrs. Norman and Mrs. Garland Akin to the honoree and Mesdames C. L. Vandever, H. L. Murphey, Lee Doty, J. J. Maurer, Edith Baker, E. C. Couch, Guy Young, J. D. Webber, A. Vandresar, Robb Everhard, Rex Norman and Garland Akin, Roy Hankins, J. D. Webber and Archie Carlson.

Bridge Is Enjoyed By Weslaco Guests

WESLACO — Mrs. Clyde Young was hostess Tuesday for a very pleasant afternoon of bridge.

Potted plants and unusual arrangements of castor beans decorated the rooms with Mrs. William Phares winner of score and Mrs. Gordon Potts and out of club guest playing.

Mrs. Young served a tempting sandwich plate to her guest members of the Bluebonnet club, and guest.

FROM MICHIGAN

MISSION- Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Lynch and Mrs. R. Hartley of Flint, Mich., arrived Thursday for an extended visit in the Valley. They will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Storms in Missi n, and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Krebs in Harlingen.

Husbands To Be Guests For Forum

RAYMONDVILLE—Members of the Raymondville Woman's Club and their husbands are to meet Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. for a special program presented by the international relations department of the club.

A forum composed of Roger Robinson, Dr. G. E. Bennack and Rev. Charles T. Hardt, with Rev. M. C. Yeargan presiding, will discuss "How Can America Best Strengthen Her Defenses."

Members may bring a guest couple.

The Raymondville Parent-Teacher Association will meet on Wednesday at 3:45 p.m. at the school auditorium. Mrs. A. T. Harper is chairman. The program topic is "Safety in Home, School and State."

The Raymondville Garden Club wil have as guest speaker an authority on "Arrangement of Flowers" from Brownsville.

The meeting is set for Thursday at 3 p.m. at the Woman's Club Building.

Guests will be welcomed.

Members of Circle One of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet on Monday at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. J. B. Chambers. Mrs. Mervin Hayes is leader.

Pretty Event Is Surprise

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. J. I. Grunwald was honored with a surprise handkerchief shower in recognition of her birthday Thursday evening when Mrs. G. B. Waller was hostess at her home. Assisting in hostess duties was Mrs. Hollis Waller.

At the close of the series of games and contests, which furnished entertainment, Mrs. Grunwald was declared winner and the prize was the surprise gifts from the group of guests.

The birthday cake was served by the hostess with apricots and whipped cream, coffee, and mints.

Enjoying the pleasant affair with the honoree were Mesdames G. H. Bingley, Oren Pederson, E. A Oliver, G. C. Greer, George Dever, and Hollis Waller, and Mrs. Joe Spears and Mrs. E. F. Yarrow of San Benito.

SHARY HOME COURTESY SCENE

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Carl A. Roettele alternated in serving the fruit the first and second hours. Mrs. Jesse Dennett of Brownsville and Mrs. Arnold J Shary alternated in serving the turkey.

Coffee was served in the morning room where a lovely arrangement of pink carnations, blue iris and golden yellow jonquils made a striking effect for the centerpiece. Mrs. R. R. Hooks poured coffee from the silver service at one end during the first hour and Mrs.W. O. Brown the second hour. Mrs. John T. Lomax of McAllen served the coffee royal at the opposite end of the table the second hour and Mrs. Harry Keifer the second hour.

Mrs. J. V. Carpenter and Mrs. Ollen Rome assisted in hostess duties in the dining room. Assisting in both the dining room and the morning room were Mrs. R. N. Smith, Mrs. J. E. Frost of Donna, Mrs. C. F. SoRelle, Mrs. James Wood, Mrs. John Griffin, Mrs. T. B. Waite, Jr., and Miss Betty Davenport.

Guests Depart

SANTA ROSA — Mr. and Mrs. George Amos have departed for their home in New Mexico after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Russell. The couple came at this season to shore in the Charro Days fiesta. Mrs. Amos is a niece of Mr. Russell.

International Theme Stressed In Program For Valley B. P. W.'s

Speaker Urges Better Understanding Of Latin-Americans; Decorations Noteworthy

SAN BENITO — "International-ism," the theme for study during the year by Business and Professional club women, was given striking emphasis in the banquet table set for 85 members and guests Thursday night at the Stonewall Jackson Hotel. The affair was the quarterly meeting of the Valley Federation of B. and P. W. Clubs.

In observance of "International Night," decoration featured a patriotic theme. Tiny flags of many countries, alternating with white candles, were placed along the U-shaped tables. Candles that were lighted noted nations in which women's organizations were active and tapers that were dimmed denoted nations in which women have few privileges and their organizations are inactive.

The International Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs was the outgrowth of the National Federation of this organization, having headquarters in New York. To express this development in the decoration a central tall flag of the United States backed by tall lighted candles made the centerpiece.

Each place was marked by a program with red, white and blue covers, and tiny Texas flags.

The Valley Federation is composed of members from clubs in Brownsville, San Benito, Harlingen, Mercedes, Weslaco and McAllen.

Program for the evening opened with group singing of "God Bless America" led by Mrs. G. C. Schurman with Dr. Mamie G. Pester accompanist. Afterwards Mrs. Merle Temple advanced with the colors and the salute to the flag was led by Mrs. Dorothy Brunson. The collect was given by Dr. Pester.

Mrs. Nellie Chenoweth, president of the hostess club, welcomed the guests and response was given by Mrs. Myrtle Householder of the Harlingen club.

The choral group of the San Benito Music club sang "The Weaver" and a medley of songs entitled "The Lost Chord."

Mrs. Chenoweth gave a beautiful interpretation of the International Federation's obligations in present day circumstances and Miss Marie Brown read a message from Dr. Minnie L. Maffet, Fort Worth, national president.

Mrs. Chenoweth presented Miss Margaret Conrady who introduced the guest speaker for the evening, Mrs. Martha Canfield of Los Fresnos. Miss Conrady is a former pupil of Mrs. Canfield who was instructor in an Iowa college, and who is widely recognized in the educational field of choral speech and dramatic art.

Mrs. Canfield, in a very informal talk, discussed the role of women in the present war crisis. Punctuating her talk with whimsy and humor, Mrs. Canfield made an effective plea for more sympathy, understanding, and neighborliness toward peoples of Latin-American countries.

After singing, "America, the beautiful," Miss Zona Scaief, Valley Federation president, directed a business meeting. Report of the district meeting at Corpus Christi in the fall was presented by Mrs Ophelia Hill, Harlingen, who is district director-elect.

Miss Julia O'Brien, Brownsville, gave the report of the Valley historian.

The group voted to pay expenses of the Valley Federation president to the meeting of the nominating committee for the Texas Federation.

A letter from Dr. Jacobine Kruze, Chicago, former Valley Federation president, was read.

Invitation to meet in McAllen in August was extended by Miss Dorothea Wilson of McAllen and was accepted.

San Juan Bride Honored By Party

SAN JUAN—Mrs. Earl Hinkle complimented her sister-in-law, Mrs. Roy Hinkle, a bride of two months, with a lovely shower at her home Tuesday afternoon. The honoree received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Those attending were: Mesdames Emma Jones, Vance Davis, W. F Jones, C. Parrish, I. S. Knops, J. F. Ramsey of McAllen; Ed Boler, C. A. Parrish, Leavelle Spencer, Frank Gross, Pharr; Lynn Fortson, Chas. Hinkle, R. C. Sing, T. J. Sing, Fred Smith and T. E. Thompson.

VISITOR GOES

SAN JUAN—Dr. G. C. Parsons of San Antonio left Sunday for his home after spending the week in the home of Mr .and Mrs. H. D. Munal.

Mrs. C. S. Albrecht Entertains Club

MISSION—Mrs. C. S. Albrecht included three guests in the personnel when she entertained the Wednesday afternoon Bridge Club this week. They were Mrs. Dan Friesen, Mrs. Hollis H. Rankin and Mrs. T. A. Humason.

Score honors for the afternoon were claimed by Mrs. W. F. Oakes for high and Mrs. W. E. Wood, second high. Other players were Miss Mary Vaiden Wood, Mrs. M. E. Baggett, Mrs. Frank Keller, Mrs. M. C. Enfield, Mrs. David Wood, Mrs. Norton Boyd, the three guests and the hostess.

Dainty refreshments were served after the games.

Serve As Models

MERCEDES — Misses Betty Jo McKinney and Jo Ella Baumgart, Mrs. Carl McKinney, and Mrs. Cliff Holloman modeled spring styles in the luncheon style show given by Eggum's in the Cortez Hotel, Weslaco, Friday afternoon.

Dinner Meet Held By Donna Faculty

DONNA — Donna faculty members enjoyed a delightful turkey dinner Wednesday evening at the Plaza Hotel. The long white tables were gay with nasturtiums.

Miss Jessie Mercer was toastmistress, directing the entertainment which stressed informality.

Miss Robin Cook, Weslaco, gave music, and Virginia Moraes sang two songs.

Supt. Hugh Proctor, Mission, talked on results from the policy of teaching Spanish in the Mission schools.

Randolph Becker reported on the recently organized student council and Rev. M. A. Travis, Alamo, guest speaker, talked on development of character.

BACK FROM TRIP

COMBES—Mrs. Herbert Hollida and children have just returned from a trip to Livingston where they visited relatives. They were accompanied there by her father, Mr. Armstrong, of Harlingen.

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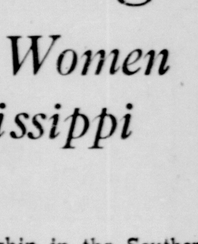

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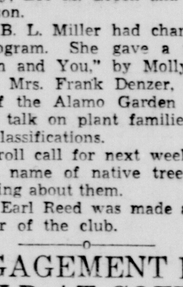

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Capsules of concentrated papayas, recently introduced in the cosmetic trade to be used for skin beautifying, are meeting a ready demand.

Youngsters passing through the acne stage are said to find the new papaya lotion a definte correction and both men and women use it as a general treatment.

Papain in the papayas—the agent that aids digestion—also has a tendency to dissolve old or dead tissue resulting in a very gradual skin peeling.

Judging from the present abundant crop of papayas—usually there are dozens of the gourd-looking fruits hanging around the neck of an otherwise barren stalk—there will be plenty to give the Valley a plentiful supply of pulchritude.

Comics aren't Comis:

What to do about the color "comic" magazines that children are reading insatiably is a problem most parents are debating.

Comic strips in the newspapers have not prompted objections on the part of educators or parents but the rise of a certain type of "action" comics, selling about ten million monthly, has given the present generation of parents a totally new problem.

The old dime novels in which an occasional redskin bit the dust were classic literature compared to the sadistice drivel which usually has a child for the victim and depend for their appeal on mayhem, murder, torture and abduction.

To substitute something that is good for something that is harmful is better than prohibition, parents have learned and for that reason probably will welcome a new magazine, "True Comics."

In full color, the first issue, just out, deals with exciting events of past and present history and is expected to be an antidote for the lurid "comic" magazines widely read by children in spite of the increasing protests of parents and teachers.

As a matter of fact, the first series of pictures, representing the drama-filled life of Winston Churchill, puts in the pale the most fantastic adventures of supermen in the fiction comics.

Magazines by Air:

Another new venture in the magazine publishing field is to be the special lightweight edition of Time that will be delivered by plane in foreign lands over Pan-American Airways.

Published in English, the air express edition will be almost identical with Time editorially, but will have advertising sold separately and will be printed on special lightweight paper to lessen cost of air delivery.

Beginning May 5, the service will be inaugurated in Latin America and later extended to other areas.

Gardener's Bible:

A boon to gardeners, whether an expert, amateur or the veriest novice, will be the new Garden Encyclopedia which contains nearly a million words and several thousand items.

Excellent for reference, the volume not only gives plant names, characteristics, and cultural methods, but has practical suggestions for almost every sort of garden activity from lighting effects to be installed for night illumination to what to plant as a screen for the barbecue pit.

The new revised edition of the old standby for garden-minded hobbyists is published by Wm. H. Wise & Co., New York.

Help Civic Music:

Valley Civic Music Association leaders Monday will launch their annual drive for memberships.

With so many projects, from Valley clinics and child welfare projects to aid for war victims in Europe and China, claiming time and energy of Valley folks it's going to be harder this year to get a sufficient number of workers for the membership canvass.

The Civic Music Association — like the Cultural Arts, Inc.— has proved its worth.

Both are important assets and Valley citizens benefit to some extent even if they never attend a concert.

The Valley is gaining recognition steadily as a region where cultural needs are met by bringing in artists and speakers who usually accept bookings only in large cities.

If you're a member of Civic Music and want to hear next year's programs, don't wait for the committee to search you out.

Get your name on the dotted line as quickly as possible and see that your friends and relatives interested do the same.

Every lift that can be given the membership enrollment this year helps to conserve precious time and energy that is being drafted for a variety of causes—most of them good.

Style Note:

Rings are being worn outside gloves again.

Consumer's Aids Topic For Program

HARLINGEN—A vast amount of data, helpful in buying for home needs and for personal use, was presented in the unusual "consumers' guide" program given at the meeting of the Harlingen Study Club Thursday.

Members answered roll call by confessing pet extravagances and economies.

Mrs. F. T. Neary was leader of the program. She explained the purpose of consumer education is the advancement of consumers as a class and through them the advancement of the community as a whole. She gave excerpts from several symposiums based on extensive research and gave expert opinion on subjects ranging from pointers on buying rugs to drugs.

Further amplifying the program theme, Mrs. S. G. Stringer directed a forum on consumer topics. Participating in the question and answer presentations were Mrs. J. J. Willingham, Mrs. C. A. Macy, and Mrs. J. J. Murray. Special emphasis was given to new products and materials and new terms coined to denote certain qualities or standards in various products.

Affording a delightful postlude to the study period was a talk by Mrs. William L. Trammell on flower arrangement. She illustrated some of her suggestions by drawing attention to the beautiful floral groups arranged by the hostesses, Mrs. A. E. McClendon and Mrs. Paul Brown.

"Butterfly," by Greig, was the lovely composition played by Mary March, a guest, ending the program.

Calendar

HARLINGEN

MONDAY

3:15 a.m. James Dishman P.-T.A. meets at Combes for business session.

9:30 a.m. Flower Lovers Club meets with Mrs. Dan Murphy, 1206 E. Polk.

12 noon Membership luncheon for Harlingen Business and Professional Women's Club at the Woman's Building.

7:45 p.m. Junior Study Club entertains with open house at the Woman's Building.

2:50 p.m. Executive board meet-Stephen F. Austin P.-T.A. meets.

3:15 p.m. Bowie P.-T.A. meets at the school.

3:15 p.m. General meeting of Stephen F. Austin P.-T.A. at the school.

5 p.m. Rainbow Assembly meets at the Masonic Hall.

3:30 p.m. Sam Houston Parents and Educators meet at the school.

2:30 p.m. Exevutive board meeting of Sam Houston Parents and Educators in Mrs. John Thomas' room.

TUESDAY

3 p.m. Circle meetings of the Methodist Society of Christian Service will be held as follows: one with Mrs. M. L. Rash, 1001 E. Filmore; two with Mrs. B. J. Drews, 614 E. Jackson; three with Mrs. Joe Wood, 405 W. Buchanan; four with Mrs. Frank Lee, 602 W. Pierce; five with Mrs. Van R. Wiggins, 1122 E. Pierce; and six with Mrs. G. O. Bryant, 314 E. Polk.

2:30 p.m. St. Alban's Episcopal Guild meets with Mrs. W. E. Bush, 105 W. Filmore with Mrs. Roy Jandrew as co-hostess.

9:30 a.m. Executive board of Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary meets at the church.

12:30 noon Circle four, Presbyterian Auxiliary, meets for covered dish luncheon and final meeting of church year with Mrs. G. W. Crofoot.

3 p.m. Christian Women's Council meets at the church.

WEDNESDAY

4 p.m. Junior American Legion Auxiliary meets with Almeda Hornaday.

12:15 p.m. Past Matrons Club has meeting at the home of Mrs. Morris Chaudoin.

9:30 a.m. Harlingen Day Nursery meets at the Woman's Building.

3:15 p.m. Music Lovers Club meets at the Woman's Building.

THURSDAY

5:30 p.m. Officers of Chapter 641, O.E.S. honors past matrons and patrons with covered dish supper at the Masonic Hall.

8 p.m. Dunkers Club meets at the home of Mrs. Mary Craig.

Mother, Son Visit

Mrs. Allan Shivers of Port Arthur is shown with her 9-months old son, John Shary Shivers, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Shary of Mission and Sharyland. Mrs. Shivers arrived ten days ago for a visit, staying over until Mr. Shary's birthday which was celebrated last evening with a large party which carried out a tradition of several years. Senator Shivers arrived Friday to join his family and they will leave during the week-end to return home. Mrs. Shivers is the former Miss Maryalice Shary. (Mission Times Photo.)

Lyford Bride Is Honoree For Shower

LYFORD—Mrs. Bentley Barnett was honoree for a pretty bridal shower given at the week-end at the Stillman club house. Hostesses were Mrs. John Jurcok, Mrs. Emil Speiss, Misses Evelyn and Annie Mae Dudensing and Miss Myrtle Schultz. The bride is the former Miss Selma Schultz.

A color theme of green and white was noted in decoration of the long table which held many useful gifts.

Fay and Gay Barnett of Santa Rosa played a number of musical selections and games were enjoyed.

The hostesses served sandwiches, cake, candy hearts and coffee to Mesdames Bentley Barnett, W. L. Barnett, Emil Speiss, Wm. Schultz, G. W. Wilbur, W. A. Cooley, John Jurock, C. O. Carter, C. W. Freeman, R. L. Cooley, R. T. Dudensing, J. J. Dudensing, F. Lewer, J. Wreden, K. Klosterman, Leslie Buffington, Zack Williams, Arby Evans, R. L. Schlessinger, Henry Buss, W. B. Mills, J. H. Jordan, Arthur Bucksler, and M. L. Koehnoke, Misses Fay and Gay Barnett, Evelyn and Annie Mae Dudensine, and Miss Myrtle Schultz.

A large group of friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. Bentley Barnett Thursday evening at the home of the bride's parents.

Games were enjoyed during the evening and refreshments were served in the late evening.

The couple has moved to Harlingen and are residing on West Jackson street.

VISITING MOTHER

LOS FRESNOS — Mrs. Moss Hall and daughter Ruby Louise of Gainsville, Texas arrived Wednesday to be with Mrs. Hall's sister, Mrs. R. N. Johnson, who suffered a paralytic stroke early this week.

Tri-Color Theme Noted For Party

DONNA—Miss Mae Wood scored high and the hostess second when Miss Sally Weaver entertained her bridge club and one guest, Miss Martha Robinson, Monday night. The prizes were wrapped in red, white and blue and tallies bore Washington pictures and insignia.

The same patriotic colors were noted in the shrimp cocktail served over blue bowls of ice placed on red plates with Russia tea in blue glasses.

Other guests were Mrs. Vera Kirkpatrick and the Misses Marie Moye, Nell Moye, Virginia Casey, and Louise Boyce.

Plans were made for decoration to be carried out by the Donna Garden club at the meeting of the 10th district P.-T.A. in Donna April 2, 3 and 4, when members of the Garden club met Monday at the Legion building.

Arrangements also were made for preparing gift corsages to be presented to visitors at the banquet at the Casa de Palmas in McAllen March 13 for delegates to the state Garden club convention.

Mrs. C. L. Carey entertained her Sunday school class and two guests with an evening party at her home Monday. After an evening of delightful games the hostess served refreshments to her guests.

To Elect Officers

HARLINGEN — Election of officers will be held Monday at the regular meeting of the Flower Lovers Club to be held at 9:30 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Dan Murphy. A plant exchange will be carried out.

Program For Zone Meeting Is Announced

HARLINGEN — Program for the regular meeting of the South-East zone of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service has been announced by Mrs. G. S. Partain, Santa Rosa, zone chairman.

Registration will be at 9:30 a.m. followed by formal opening of the meeting at 10 a.m. with a hymn, prayer by Mrs. A. C. Bell, Primera; and Scripture by Mrs. Partain.

Mrs. Eugene Torbett, Harlingen, will introduce special guests; a business session is to be held; Mrs. R. S. Chambers, Donna, district secretary, will report on district work; and Mrs. C. W. McKeehan will give a solo.

The feature of the morning session will be the message brought by Rev. P. M. Caraway, Harlingen.

Lunch will be served and recess observed between 12 and 1:30 o'clock.

After the opening hymn, Mrs. C. L. Hunter, Brownsville, will give the prayer opening the afternoon session; Scripture will be from Ephesians; and Mrs. D. E. Ewing, Harlingen, will talk on "The Unchanging Flag."

Report from the Valley Institute, Pharr, will be given by Miss Bertha Cox. Committee reports, roll call, and other business will be carried out. Mrs. Stanley Crockett, Harlingen, will give a solo and Mrs. T. Rucker Stanford, Lyford, will have charge of the consecration service, "Christ the Prince of Peace."

Trio Honored In Harlingen

HARLINGEN — Viistors and members met Thursday evening in the Masonic Hall for an O.E.S. meeting with Mrs. Mary M. Bowers, worthy matron, presiding.

Arrangements were made for a covered dish supper to be given by officers of the chapter honoring past matrons and past patrons Thursday evening, March 6, at 6:30 p.m.

In accordance with custom established in the Eastern Star, the worthy matron honored three members. Recognition was given Mrs. Ella Grimsell for an especially notable record of membership, Mrs. Ada Koniakowsky who has been outstanding in her sponsorship of the local assembly of Rainbow colors, and Mrs. Martha Smith for courtesies extended the worthy matron this year. Each was presented by Mrs. Bowers with a huge bouquet of marigolds.

Mrs. Neva Twiss gave a reading on the origin of the Star Spangled Banner written by Francis Scott Key and Mrs. Norma Hand gave a reading which related indicents in the life of Martha Washington.

A refreshment plate of chicken salad with dainties and tea was served by Mrs. Lily Liston and Mrs. Lola Ramsey.

Next meeting of the chapter will be March 14.

Sadie Hawkins Day Observed In Pharr

PHARR— "Sadie Hawkins" Day was observed here Friday by the Girl Reserves of the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School, with students attending school in "hobo" attire. At one o'clock in the afternoon a race was staged on the school campus by the students, the object being that the girls catch their future "husband." Following the race, a mock wedding was presented by the students on the stage of the high school's auditorium.

GUESTS IN ALAMO

ALAMO—Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Drennan over the weekend are Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Newman of Houston.

Widely Known Authority On Horticulture Slated As Convention Speaker

Valley Garden Club Leaders Make Final Plans, Convention To Be March 12-13-14

HARLINGEN — Wm. Hunt of Chapel Hill, N. C., nationally celebrated horticulturalist and gardening authority, will be the principal speaker at the Texas Federation of Garden Clubs convention which opens in Harlingen March 12. Announcements regarding the program were made and convention plans were completed at the meeting Friday afternoon held at the home of Mrs. O. E. Stuart, president of the Valley Garden Council.

Committee Meets

Present were presidents of 18 of the 9 clubs in the Council, which is to be hostess to the convention, the Bougainvillea chairmen of the clubs, and officers of the council forming a group of about 50.

Mr. Hunt has addressed the Texas Federation and other state conventions of garden clubs and is much in demand as a speaker, Mrs. Will Lake, Ft. Worth, state president, stated in messages to Valley club members.

Speaker Well-Known

He has appeared over much of the country, serving at judging schools on horticulture. He has botanized much of the southwest recently and probably will have as his topic "Making the most of Gardens in the South."

It was stated that Dr Hugh Finley, who had been tentatively slated for the convention program, will be unoble to attend.

To Arrange Flowers

The flower arrangement feature will be conducted by Mrs. Walter Crow of Dallas. Mrs. Crow is much in demand in Dallas and other cities for her lectures on flower arrangement. She will use Valley flowers exclusively. Mrs. L. Wharton of Donna will assist her in obtaining materials and with other details.

Persons desiring to hear either or both lectures without registering for the entire convention may be admitted with payment of one dollar for both events or 75 cents for one. Provision also has been made for persons desiring to purchase single tickets for any of the luncheons or banquets. Mrs. Henry Carlisle is chairman for tickets for the individual events of the convention.

Registrations $5.00

Registrations of $5 for the entire convention should be sent to Mrs. L. R. DuBois, Harlingen. Payment of registration entitles the member to all sessions of the convention, two luncheons, banquet, barbecue, merienda, and other events. The evening meal Thursday, March 13, will be at Landrum's in Brownsville instead of in Matamoros after a sightseeing trip in Matamoros.

Cleanup and general improvement in all Valley areas during the period remaining before the convention will be strongly urged by garden club members in the various towns.

Co-Operation Necessary

Co-operation is also being asked in obtaining a sufficient number of cars to take delegates on the tour of the Bougainvillea Trail and to other events during the three days. Harry Ratliff, Harlingen chamber of commerce secretary, is to be in charge of the transportation project and car owners are asked to get in touch with him.

Calendar

ALAMO

MONDAY

8:00 a. m. Order of Eastern Star will have a Texas program with guest speakers.

TUESDAY

2:30 p. m. Garden Club at the Community Church.

3:00 p. m. Baptist Women's Missionary Society.

WEDNESDAY

10:00 a. m. Red Cross sewing room will be open all day.

3:30 p. m. Grammar School P.-T.A. election of officers.

2:30 p. m. Wednesday Bridge Club.

THURSDAY

2:30 p. m. Community Church Ladies' Aid. There will be a Missionary playlet "What Are The Churches Doing About It."

Centers In Kitchen Discussed In Talk

PROGRESO—The Progreso Home Demonstration Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. F. W. Hatch. After a short business session, Miss Marie Miller gave a talk on "Convenient Centers in the Kitchen."

Coffee and cake were served.

VISITORS RETURN

PHARR—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hirons returned to their home in San Antonio Friday following a visit of several days here with his mother, Mrs. J. E. Hirons.

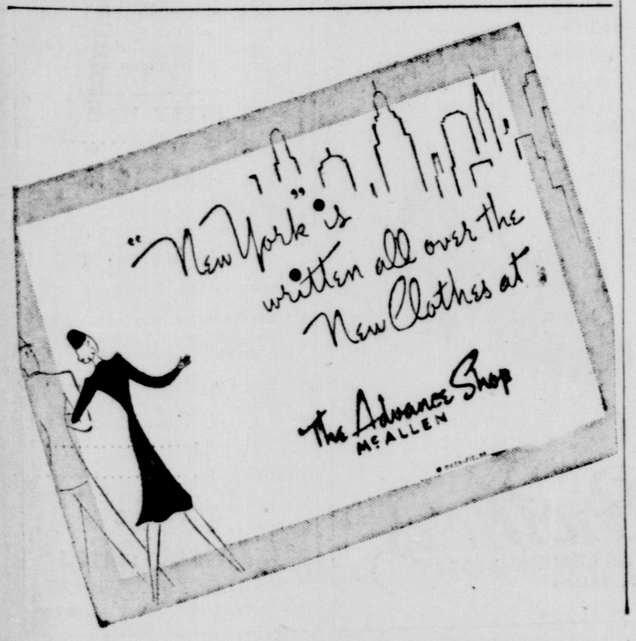
Election Is Slated For Bowie P.-T.A.

HARLINGEN—Election of officers will be held at the meeting of the Bowie Parent-Teacher Association Monday at 3:15 at the school. Mrs. J. S. Cohn is to be speaker on "Character is What We Make It."

Carolyn Colvin will play an accordion solo and first grade room mothers will be hostesses.

MOVE TO SAN ANTONIO

PHARR — Mr. and Mrs. Jack G. Scales and daughter, Miss Edna Ruth Scales, have moved to San Antonio to make their home.



ALL-AMERICAN FASHIONS TO BE FEATURED IN REVUE

Outstanding Valley Social Event Set for March 6th Luncheon and Dinner

McALLEN— Valley junior misses and matrons will go all-American Thursday when Mrs. Zoe Brasher of Ladies' Supply, McAllen, presents her firm's 18th semi-annual style revue at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

That America has definitely wrested the laurels for fashion supremacy from any and all contenders will be illustrated to the more than 400 guests expected to attend the luncheon and dinner presentations of the revue. Every costume shown will be of strictly American design—no adaptations of foreign originals; not a line, color or idea that was not born in the U. S. A., says Mrs. Brasher.

Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p. m. For the evening event dinner will be served from 6 o'clock on, with the fashion revue starting at 7:30 p. m. Since the inauguration of the dinner showing last year, many men join the women as guests at this outstanding social event.

Reservations should be made not later than Wednesday at 9 p. m. for the luncheon and not later than Thursday noon for the dinner.

Luncheon Starts at 12:30 p. m.
Dinner 6 to 7:30 p. m.—Revue at 7:30

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Mrs. Brenner Hostess For Pretty Event

RAYMONDVILLE — In recognition of the birthday anniversary of Henry W. Longfellow, Mrs. L. C. Brenner gave a charming breakfast on Thursday morning to a few friends.

Lines from famous poems marked the tallies. Guests guessed the poems from which the quotation came. A patriotic motif was carried out successfully.

Mrs. David Mahood of Houston and Mrs. C. D. Ritter were guests and members were Mesdames G. E. Bennack, Roger Robinson, Harry Douthit, Earl Gilliland, John Fambrough, and J. C. Brandt.

Mrs. Bennack received high award, linen embroidered in blue stars.

Delicate gold-banded china held the dainty refreshments served by Mrs. W. G. Hecht to club friends on Wednesday afternoon when they gathered to play bridge in her pretty home.

Red cherry salad comprised the substantial part of the repast and cake topped with hearts, clubs, diamonds and spades of jello completed the refreshments.

Mrs. Carl Miller and Mrs. J. C. Brandt played for absent members. Members present were Mesdames John Fambrough, Gene Smith, Harvey Geis, C. C. Conley, Lud Snow, E. M. Tomme, C. N. Howard, Don Hightower, C. D. Ritter and J. G. Caudle, with Mrs. Fambrough receiving high award.

Nasturtiums made the pretty home of Mrs. L. O. Robbins gay and colorful for the delicious breakfast she served to members of her club on Tuesday morning.

Enjoying the typical Valley breakfast were Mrs. Lud Snow and Mrs. J. G. Caudle, guests, and Mesdames R. H. Fackelman, J. K. Smith, F. B. Wilson, E. H. Jamison, Mervin Hayes and H. E. Tomme, with Mrs. Hayes making high score in bridge.

Methodist Groups Meet At McAllen

McALLEN—Mrs. Noel G. Ice was hostess Thursday to a business and program meeting of the Rebecca circle of the First Methodist Church when each member told her experience with the traveling basket the circle sponsored.

Mrs. F. W. Gunn gave the devotional while Mrs. W. W. Ellison and Mrs. G. C. Ehlinger led the day's topic of discussion.

As a program feature Mrs. L. M. Roush of Chicago described her work in the Marcy Assembly of Chicago.

At tea time refreshments were served to 20 members and four guests who were Mrs. L. M. Roush, Mrs. A. C. Ely of Kansas, Mrs. B. D. Atthley of Iowa and Mrs. Rose Ackley of Kansas.

The topic, "Our Brotherhood," was discussed Thursday at the Naomi circle of the First Methodist Church by Mrs. Clyde Aylesworth and Mrs. Fred A. Rice, when it met at the home of Mrs. J. F. Palmer. Mrs. DeWitt Haden, Jr., had charge of the devotional.

Refreshments were served to guests, Mesdames C. O. Gilbertson, Jimmy Overstreet, C. Forsman and the members.

Austin P.-T.A. To Meet Monday

HARLINGEN — Members of the Stephen F. Austin P.-T.A. will hold a regular meeting Monday, March 3, at 3:15 p. m. at the school. Sergeant Smith of the State Highway Patrol will give a talk on "Safety" and a musical number will be presented by students.

A meeting of the executive board has been scheduled for 2:30 p. m.

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Leader In School Events

Miss Rosemary Atkins has a leading part in club and campus activities at the San Benito high school where she is a senior. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Atkins, she is president of the Home Economics Club, secretary-treasurer of the senior class, reporter for the National Honor Society, and member of Quill and Scroll Club, Glee Club, Dramatic Club, and Press Club. (Holbrook Studio.)

Harlingen Bride-Elect Honoree For Courtesy Accenting Spring Theme

HARLINGEN — A pretty compliment was etxended to Miss Grace Bookout, bride-elect of Jim Porch, Thursday evening when Mrs. L. H. Maston of Pharr and Mrs. W. L. Smith entertained with an open house and shower. The interesting hospitality was given from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. E. Allen.

Miss Bookout, only daughter of Mrs. O. E. Bookout, will become the bride of Mr. Porch in rites to be read at eight o'clock Sunday morning, March 9, in the Baptist Church at Santa Rosa.

Spring blossoms in yellow or harmonizing shades were used about the home, making a pretty floral environment. Lovely gold calendulas were used on the table in the dining room which was lighted by yellow candles in crystal holders. Punch was served from a crystal bowl and all appointments for the table were crystal.

Alternating during the evening in serving punch were Miss Mary Lester and Miss Louise Bookout, Santa Rosa. Miss Katherine Pennington assisted in the dining room.

About fifty guests inscribed their names in the bride's book which was presided over by Mrs. Robert Bookout in the late evening and by Mrs. Jack Gray of McAllen during the first period.

The honoree received many lovely gifts.

Adding to the pleasure of the guests was a series of accordion selections played at intervals during the evening by Miss Doris Thompson of La Feria.

Pharr Visitor Is Honored

PHARR — Mrs. Harry N. Britten entertained informally honoring her cousin, Mrs. G. W. Whitfield of Okemah, Oklahoma, at the Britten home Tuesday.

The guests were friends of the hostess and honoree, whose hobbies were collecting shells and rocks, and in keeping of the hobby idea, a visit was made to the home of Mrs. E. J. Kelso to view her large rock collection. The group also visited the beautiful yards of Mrs. Ashley Cawthon in Pharr, and Mrs. T. C. Downs in Alamo.

The Britten home was decorated with arrangements of a variety of garden spring flowers.

Guests included the honoree, Mrs. G. W. Whitfied of Okemah, Okla., Mrs. Lula Law of Ainsworth, Neb., Mrs. Eli Sosted, Bimidji, Minn.; Mrs. Byron C. Bary, Benton Harbob, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Chalfant, Harlingen; Mrs. W. F. Keller, McAllen; Mrs. Lena Britten, Mrs. Ashley Cawthon, and Mrs. R. O. Brewer.

MAKE VALLEY VISIT

ALAMO—Miss Lucille Toothaker and Miss Katherine Melton of Pharr, who are employed at San Antonio, are at home over the weekend. They were acccompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Etter of San Antonio on her first trip to the Valley.

Tri-Color Theme Chosen For Party

RAYMONDVILLE—A glorious array of red, white and blue blossoms in geraniums, orange blossoms and bluebonnets was used in room decorations Thursday evening when Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gilliland entertained informally.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Glarner, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hightower, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ritter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Akard, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Youngblood, and Mrs. J. C. Brandt.

Awards for high scores in the games were presented to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ritter, Mrs. Hightower and Mr. Akard.

Delicious refreshments marked the close of the evening.

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ALL THIS WEEK

Spring Style Show Is Set For Thursday

McALLEN—What is "all American" acording to Dame Fashion's edicts will be shown in the 18th semi-annual fashion revue the Ladies Supply will present Thursday at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

Since the fashion shows have become "musts" on Valley society's calendar, again this time two performances will be given, one at the luncheon hour and the second at the dinner hour, Mrs. Zoe Regan, Ladies Supply proprietor, said.

Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p. m. The fashion show with 12 prominent Valley misses and junior matrons, as models will get under way at the same hour. Although dinner will be served from 6 p. m. on, the second display of styles will not begin until 7:30 p. m.

Reservations for luncheon must be made by 9 p. m. Wednesday and by Thursday noon for dinner. An orchestra will play during both events.

Last fall approximately 600 spectators enjoyed the style show.

This spring with the radical changes in shoulders, bodices, jackets and what not still more women—and men, too— are expected to be on hand to see what American designers have fashioned for the country's style conscious women.

Calendar

McALLEN

MONDAY

Mrs. J. Lyle Hill will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

9:30 a.m. The Junior Service League board of directors will meet at Mrs. J. K. Boettger's home.

3:00 p.m. The McAllen Music Club will meet with Mrs. Scott Dougherty.

8:00 p.m. Mrs. John Griffin will be hostess to the G-Women's Club.

TUESDAY

2:30 p.m. The Dorcas Class of the First Methodist Church will meet at the church.

7:00 p.m. Members of the McAllen Junior High School Parent-Teacher Association will have a father's night program and covered dish supper at the school cafeteria.

8:00 p.m. The Beta Sigma Phi will meet with Mrs. John Beckenholdt.

WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Conrad Roitsch will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

The Red Cross sewing room will be open at the Singer Sewing Machine Company office.

1:00 p.m. The Junior Service League will entertain at luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

3:00 p.m. Mrs. Paul Richerson will be hostess to the McAllen Study Club.

THURSDAY

12:30 p.m. The Ladies Supply style show will be presented at luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

2:30 p.m. The Altar Society will meet at the rectory.

7:30 p.m. The Ladies Supply style show will be presented at dinner at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY

The Ladies Altar society of the Sacred Heart church will hold its regular business meeting at 3:30 p. m. in the parish hall.

MONDAY

Women's Social Service circles of the Methodist church meet at the following places: Lucy Ray circle with Mrs. C. L. Parnell; Young Matrons with Mrs. George Matriciana; No. 1 at the church; No. 2 with Mrs. Harry Lovelace at 130 Ebony drive, and No. 3 at the church. All meetings will begin at 3:30 p. m.

Hope Chapter No. 124, Order of Eastern Star, will meet at 8 p. m. at the Brownsville Masonic temple.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of the Advent (Episcopal) will meet at 2:30 p. m. Monday to begin a Lenten study program. A regular Lenten service will be held at 4:30 p. m. Monday.

The Pan-American Social Service Club will meet at 10 a. m. Monday with Mrs. C. N. Warren, on Highway Four.

TUESDAY

The Treble Clef Music club will meet at 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Milton H. West at 611 Washington street.

WEDNESDAY

Wednesday Study club meets at the Episcopal parish house, 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Honoree For Dance

Miss Louise Hale, chosen as "sweetheart" for Alpha Theta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, was honoree for a dance given last week-end by the sorority. (Holbrook Studio.)

Red Cross Sewing Planned By Group

HARLINGEN—Plans for doing Red Cross sewing at their next meeting were made by members of the Dunkers Club D. S., Thursday evening. A short business session was held at the May-Tee shop before the group went to the motion picture show.

Afterwards Miss Lois Myers was hostess to the group.

The sewing bee will be held Thursday at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Mary Craig with Miss Frances Payne as hostess.

Soil Specialist Is Speaker For P.-T.A.

McALLEN—Dr. George Schultz, soil conservation specialist, will be the principal speaker at the father's night meeting and covered dish supper members of the Lincoln school Parent-Teacher Association will serve Tuesday at the school cafeteria.

Supper will be served at 7 p.m., members announced.

Also a feature of the program will be musical numbers presented by the Duffield Sisters trio.

San Benito Group To Present Program

HARLINGEN — Members of the San Benito Music Club will be guests and present the program Wednesday for the regular meeting of the Music Lovers Club at the Woman's Building. Dr. Mamie Pester is president of the San Benito Club.

A Texas Day program is planned.

Each member of the Harlingen club is privileged to bring guests.

Open House Honors Head Of W.C.T.U.

HARLINGEN—Annual open house honoring the mother club with other junior clubs of the Valley as guests will be observed Monday evening, March 3, by the Junior Study Club at the Woman's building. All members of junior clubs in the Valley are invited to be guests.

Mrs. Fain Arrington is in charge of the program for the evening which will have as the principal feature a review of the stage play, "The Man Who Came To Dinner." Mrs. Erin McAskill, Edinburg, will give the dramatic review.

Music will be furnished by Mrs. Fred Petch of Donna who is to be accompanied by her mother, Mrs. F. O. Fleuriet.

Mrs. Agnew Hostess For Group At Bridge

WESLACO — Mrs. Andrew Agnew entertained with a lovely courtesy at her home having as her guests the members of the Wednesday luncheon club and out of club guests.

Elaborate arrangements of calendulas decorated the rooms for entertaining with a delightful afternoon playing bridge. Mrs. E. A. Weber won high score award.

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Upper Valley Visitors Are Entertained

McALLEN—Social affairs in the City of Palms this week were highlighted by two "Lazy Susan" luncheons at which Mrs. Smith Jones honored as many Upper Valley visitors and a number of intimate friends at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

For the latter Thursday when Mrs. John Conway of Detroit, Michigan, was the honored guest, pale pink was matched with white for effective decorative touches. Pink gladioli, pink roses and white stock in high arrangement centered the buffet table where Mrs. John T. Lomax presided over the silver Lazy Susan service.

Guests at this time included Mrs. Conway, Mrs. S. L. Miller, Mrs. Al Weir, Mrs. Charles Starlin, Mrs. Lee Green, Mrs. J. E. Wilkins, Mrs. J. W. Ferguson, Mrs. Roy Conway and Mrs. George Gaddy.

When Mrs. Allan Shivers of Port Arthur, daughter and houseguest of the John Sharys, was honored earlier in the week white and green combined with airy effect for decorations. A huge arrangement of white stock and chrysanthemums, encircled with graceful sprays of fern, graced one end of the table and the Lazy Susan, service the other.

Preceding luncheon cocktails were served.

Guests were Mrs. J. V. Carpenter, Mrs. John Shary, Mrs. T. E. Vessels, Mrs. N. E. Buescher, Mrs. I. B. Sigler, Mrs. E. A. Morris, Mrs. Homer Gunn, Mrs. W. W. Dees, Mrs. John T. Lomax, Mrs. Annie Jo Jones, Mrs. C. A. Marshall and Mrs. J. H. Gregory.

Harlingen Members Attend Valley Meet

HARLINGEN — Harlingen members attending the Valley Federation of Business and Professional Women's Club meeting Thursday night in San Benito included:

Mesdames Ophelia Hill, Ida McCrum, Ruth Briscoe, Josephine Young, Augusta Neely, and Myrtle Householder, Misses Eleanor Sikora, Vera Turner, Alyne Ashworth, Myrtle Benedict, Eva Baker, and Josephine Myrick.

Club Is Entertained By Mrs. D. L. Vance

BROWNSVILLE—The Stitch and Chat Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Don Lee Vance, with several old members, one new member and two guests present.

Mrs. Ruth Jones was taken in as a new member. Guests included Mrs. Joyce Newton of Blackwell, Oklahoma, and Mrs. K. M. Black of Corpus Christi.

Members drew names to select "mystery sisters," who they will remember with presents on birthdays and wedding anniversaries.

Next meeting wil be held at the home of Mrs. P. R. Crockett on Thursday, March 13.

Meeting Is Monday

HARLINGEN—Mrs. L. W. Wahler and Miss Jennie Case will be speakers at the meeting of the Sam Houston Parents and Educators Monday at 3:30 p. m. Their topic will be "The Headach of Home Work."

R. B. Creager Will Be Guest Speaker For D.A.R. Program

BROWNSVILLE—The Du Bois Hite chapter of the D.A.R. will meet Saturday, March 8 at 12:30 p.m. at the El Jardin Hotel for a regular luncheon meeting.

Guest speaker for the occasion will be the Honorable R. B. Creager whose subject will be "The Lease-Lend Bill."

Members of the other chapters of the D.A.R. are invited to attend and reservations can be made with Mrs. R. B. Creager, telephone number 273, Brownsville.

Meeting Is Monday

HARLINGEN — Good attendance of members is urged at the meeting of the Stephen F. Austin P.-T.A. Monday at 3:15 at the school by Mrs. R. E. Lytle, president. Officers for the coming year will be named.

At 2:30 p.m. an executive board meeting will be held.

VISIT FROM MISSION

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Snapdragons Subject For Garden Club

PHARR — "Snapdragons and Their Care," was the subject for the interesting and instructive talk given by Mrs. J. W. Puckett at a meeting Thursday morning of the Pharr Garden Club, at the home of Mrs. Stanley T. Melton here.

Table flower arrangements were made by Mrs. W. G. Davis and Mrs. E. C. VanZandt. About twenty members and guests were present.

Mrs. R. H. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Verna Hansen, were co-hostesses for a meeting Wednesday afternoon of the Pharr Progress Club at the Fitzpatrick home.

The program consisted of brief reviews on several books, given by Mrs. E. C. Phillips.

Mrs. Noel Bettles, daughter of Mrs. C L. Vernon, club member, who is leaving soon for Brownsville to make her home, was a special guest and was presented a beautiful bouquet of flowers. Mrs. J. O. Jameton, retiring president, made the presentation.

In the social hour refreshments were served to Mrs. W. R. Walters, Mrs. W. W. Chancellor, Mrs. A. A. Slayton and Mrs. Noel Bettles, out of club guests, and to the following members: Mesdames Edith Baker, Fred Ruecking, Roy Barnes, J. G. Bell, E. C. Phillips, J. W. Buzbee, C. B. Cramer, C. L. Vernon, Jno. Decker, H. E. Downs, E. E. Draeger, J. O. Jameton, Ernest Grimes, A. M. Kelley, A. J. Flowers, L. L. Lewis, M. L. Murphey, Fred Ruecking, Burt Coate, and the two hostesses, Mrs. R. H. Fitzpatrick, and Mrs. Verna Hansen.

Mrs. Henry Troppy Hostess To Group

HARLINGEN — Members of the Jolly Twelve Bunco Club were delightfully entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Henry Troppy at her home east of Hargill. Mrs. Foster Stewart was welcomed back into the group after a long siege of illness.

Games of bunco were played and prize awards made to Mrs. Claude Pollock, Mrs. Foster Stewart, and Mrs. Edward McClaugherty.

A most attractive and delicious salad plate was served to Mesdames W. E. Richards, Glen Bailey, Carl Lane, Roy Stewart, Foster Stewart, William Kieser, L. A. Francis, Claude Pollock, Edward McClaugherty, Miss Gertrude Troppy, and the hostess.

Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Foster Stewart.

Cemetery Association To Meet Tuesday

COMBES — The Combes Cemetery Association will hold a regular quarterly meeting Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. at the first Baptist church. This promises to be an important meeting as several items of business relative to the year's program are to be discussed.

Everyone interested is invited.

Duplicate Bridge Played By Guests

WESLACO—Mr. and Mrs. John Lake Couch were hosts for an evening of duplicate bridge Wednesday night. The living rooms were respendent with calendulas and nasturtiums. The hostess served a delicious salad to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Solether, Mr. and Mrs. George Harren, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pearee, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Heid, Mr. Miller Armstrong, Jr., and Mrs. J. W. MacWilliams.

Winners of scores were Mr. Solether, first; Mr. Armstrong, second; Mrs. Solether, third, and Mr. Pearre, fourth.

Mrs. Chas. Pearre Hostess In Weslaco

WESLACO—One of the most delightful courtesies of the week was given by Mrs. Charles Pearre, who entertained her Friday bridge club Mrs. H. A. Hackney was a guest Members were Mesdames Larry Heid, J. L. Couch, John Teasdale, J. W. MacWilliams, Howard Perry and George Buchanan.

The living room was decorated with colorful roses and nasturtiums and the hostess served a sweet course after the games.

Dramatic Review Popular

Mrs. Erin McAskill of Edinburg is following a busy schedule these days in addition to her duties as postmaster at Edinburg. Long popular as a dramatic reader, Mrs. McAskill is creating widespread interest with her presentation of "The Man Who Came To Dinner." Mrs. McAskill has given the review in Donna, Rio Grande City, Mission, and other Valley towns and will be presented in a similar program Monday night in Harlingen. She is to be guest entertainer for the Junior Study Club's open house at the Woman's Building. Other guests on the program will be Mrs. Fred Petch and Mrs. F. O. Fleuriet of Donna. (Kerr Studio.)

Final Play Of Series For Valley Children Will Be Wednesday

HARLINGEN — "Hans Brinker or The Silver Skates," a Clare Tree Major Theatre production brought to the municipal auditorium in Harlingen under sponsorship of the Fine Arts Club of Harlingen, will be presented Wednesday, March 5, at 4 p.m. This is the last in the series of the plays given in the Valley during the current season by the well-known players especially trained in entertaining children.

Gretel Brinker, played by Gertrude Ogsbury, has the principal role in "The Silver Skates" with Dennis Allen playing the part of Hans, her brother.

A happy picture of Holland is furnished in the six scenes, some inside a little Dutch cottage and others on the stage which has a polished surface to give the illusion of ice covering one of the famous canals of Holland.

While Hans carves, and mother knits, little Gretel (Gertrude Ogsbury) kneads the dough for the black bread which is the chief food of the Brinker family. A scene from the Clare Tree Major production of "Hans Brinker or the Silver Skates."

Mrs. C. Sammons Hostess For Bridge

EDCOUCH — Orange blossoms lent a touch of spring to the party rooms when Mrs. Carlyle Sammons entertained her Thursday Bridge Club this week. High score award went to Mrs. A. T. Moore, while cut prize was won by Mrs. Gordon Smith.

The hostess served a sweet course to Mesdames W. C. Moore, J. B. Ewing, J. F. Byrnes, E. W. Martin, M. P. Lackland, A. T. Moore, and L. B. Doshier.

Talks About Indians

COMBES—Mrs. Aaron Hancock, Indian missionary to the Indian tribes in Oklahoma, spoke at the Baptist church here Thursday night. The meeting was well attended and much interest shown.

New Officers Are Chosen By Council

SAN BENITO — Mrs. Eugene Robinson of La Feria was elected president of the Valley Child Study Council which met Wednesday at the Stonewall Jackson Hotel with members of Today's Mothers Club of San Benito as hostesses.

Mrs. W. G. Knox, president of the local club, welcomed the group. Mrs. F. F. Koester, Weslaco, Council president, presided.

Roster of officers recommended by the nominating committee was adopted and the following names for the coming year: Mrs. Eugene Robinson, La Feria, president; Mrs. I. R. Stahl, Weslaco, vice president; Mrs. E. B. McClelland, Harlingen, second vice-president; Mrs H. C. Aldridge, San Benito, third vice president; Mrs. Clyde Vail, La Feria, secretary; Mrs. D. Irving, McAllen, treasurer; and Mrs. Florence Seligman, Harlingen, reporter.

The club voted to make an Easter gift to the Sunny Glenn orphanage, the club's project for the year.

The program, in charge of Mrs. Marvin Burgess, featured a string ensemble composed of Mrs. F. L. Paschall, Mrs. L. W. Pratt, Mrs. O T. Roots, and Louis Valley, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Arthur Moore, and dance numbers by Jackie Buesing who was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Roy Smith.

A talk on the value of music to the child was given by J. C. Hall, director of the school band.

Exchange Of Plants Observed By Club

BROWNSVILLE — A very successful annual plant exchange was conducted here Saturday by the Brownsville Civic League and Garden club.

With Mrs. W. J. Vertrees as general chairman, the annual exchange was held at the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce.

Many flower lovers brought seeds, cuttings and rooted plants and exchanged them for others brought by other persons.

Others assisting Mrs. Vertrees at the chamber, were Mrs. Volney Taylor, Sr., Mrs. Wallace Reed, Mrs Augustine Celaya, Sr., Mrs. G. W. Johnson and Mrs. A. W. Neck, Sr.

A. E. Campbell Is Birthday Honoree

HARLINGEN — A birthday surprise party honoring A. E. Campbell was enjoyed recently with Mrs. Campbell as hostess at their home. Many pleasing gifts were presented to the honor guest.

Delightful refreshments were served.

Guests were Mrs. W. A. McLemore, Mr. and Mrs. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kilbourn, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. A. D Campbell, Mrs. A. C. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Campbell, Miss Eloise Kilbourn, Ruth, Alice, and Betty Jo Weaver, Paul Boyd, Louise Kerr, Wyland Campbell, Shelly Gross, Viola Mae Killian, Margie Mae Boyd, Clayton McLemore, Hazel Mae Warner, James Bennet, Verda Nelle Weaver, Ernest Nash, Vera Belle Weaver, and Charles Weaver.

Girl Scouts Hear First Aid Lecture

DONNA — Pernard Fromlath, Donna scoutmaster, spoke to the Donna Girl Scouts on "First Aid" at their regular meeting Thursday afternoon. A hike and picnic supper at the city water works park followed.

Guest Speaker

PHARR—Dr. A. W. Hancock, Indian missionary from McAlester, Oklahoma, was guest speaker for a meeting Thursday afternoon of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church.

Mrs. T. A. Wall, Jr.

Mrs. T. A. Wall, Jr., above, is among McAllen's most recent brides. She is the former Miss Lois Priestley, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Priestley. A graduate of McAllen schools, she has always been among the city's most popular young misses. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wall of Weslaco. The couple are at home at 206 South Broadway in McAllen.

Book Review Set For Tuesday Meet Of Catholic Ladies

HARLINGEN — St. Anthony's Guild will present Mrs. Frank May in a book review Tuesday afternoon March 4 at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Warren W. Galloway at 1206 E. Tyler. At this time, Mrs. John Tucker and Mrs. Galloway will be co-hostesses to the monthly meeting of the guild.

"Embezzeled Heaven" a recent best seller by Frank Werfel, is the book to be reviewed by Mrs. May. The story deals with a woman who attempts to buy her way into heaven and the review promises an entertaining afternoon to the listeners.

A short business session will precede the review.

All Catholic ladies of Harlingen are extended a cordial invitation.

Club Will Sponsor Clinic In Edcouch

EDCOUCH—Mrs. C. W. Vandervort was hostess to the Lone Star Home Demonstration Club Thursday.

Mrs. James Barr was named representative to the county council where two delegates are to be chosen to attend the State Home Demonstration Association meeting.

The club voted to sponsor a child health clinic. Mesdames Howard Jarrett, C. W. Vandervort and Leslie Hughes were named as a committee to assist in the set up of the clinic.

Mrs. McKim announced that enough applications had been received to open a mattress center at Edcouch. This will also be sponsored by the Home Demonstration Club.

Mrs. Bill Briton was enrolled as a new member. The hostess served a pretty refreshment course.

P.-T.A. To Meet

COMBES—The James Dishman P.-T. A. will have an important business meeting at the school on Monday at 3:15 p. m.

Pair Recently Wed Honored By Dinner

EDCOUCH—An enjoyable event of Monday night was the dinner given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Vess Whittle, whose marriage was an event of Saturday, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren M. Bremmer, bride and groom of three weeks. The hospitality was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Whittle in Edcouch.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Walher, Edinburg; Mr. and Mrs Leon Walher, Edinburg; Miss Geraldine Walher, Donald Walher, Kenneth Walher, the honoree and the hosts.

Adult Classes Set To Aid Homemakers

RIO GRANDE CITY—A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend a series of six adult classes to be conducted by Mrs. Miriam Vale, vocational homemaking instructor, under the title of "Our First Job in National Defense —Keeping Physically Fit," starting Monday, March 3 and closing Friday, March 14. Other dates for these classes, which will meet in the homemaking room at the high school from two to three o'clock, are March 5, 7, 10 and 12.

Subjects to be discussed in the two week's course are as follows: "Foods Needed Daily For a Good Diet," "Selecting Meals For a Day," "Eating For Health," "Feeding the Child," "Using Foods in Season," "Use of Surplus Commodities in Planning and Preparing Meals."

Club Entertained In Raymondville

RAYMONDVILLE — Members of the U-Delt-Em Club met with Mrs. L. V. Shaver for a pleasant afternoon of bridge on Tuesday.

Playing were Mesdames Herbert Koepke, Jack Scott, R. D. Smith, W. C. Youngblood, E. E. Baden, James Strawn.

Mrs. Smith won the high award and Mrs. Louis Stewart was a guest.

A well planned repast was set befor her friends by the hostess.

Girls Named As Honorees For Dances

EDCOUCH—Mildred Smith and Dorothy Nolly were chosen representatives to the Valleyanna Dance at McAllen and the Sweetheart Dance at Edinburg at a recent class meeting.

The seniors also elected Dare Odom and Elwin Snyder for the Who's Who for outstanding high school students of Texas.

Mrs. W. K. Galbreath honored her husband with a surprise birthday party Saturday evening at their home. The evening was spent in games.

Room mothers for the sophomore class entertained the group with a party at the home of Mrs. James A. Nattinger Friday evening. Hostesses were Mrs. Nattinger and Mrs. James A. Farris.

Members of the third year home economics class entertained with a coffee Friday at the home economics cottage.

Jimmie Jarrett was host for a taco supper Friday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jarrett.

Mrs. Ward Speaker In Brownsville To Inaugurate Drive

BROWNSVILLE — Several hundred music lovers were present at the Chamber of Commerce Saturday night to hear Mrs. J. D. Ward, San Benito, fully explain workings of the Rio Grande Valley Civic Music league preparatory to the "kick off" campaign for membership opening here Monday.

Her appearance here was one of a number of appearances she is making in the interest of the music league.

She was assisted at the session by Mrs. James L. Abney, Ruth Rutledge and other civic music workers here.

Visitors Honored By Dinner Event

PHARR—Mrs. Edith Carrothers of the Shady Rest Tourist Courts entertained Tuesday evening with a dinner for winter visitors.

Music and group singing were enjoyed during the evening hours.

Enjoying the hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hembrel, Sullivan City, Ind.; Marion and Betty Cook, Lanesboro, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sheppard, Alamo, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Putnam, Pelican Rapids, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. M. Kernodle, Warsaw, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. E. Clayse, Warsaw, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Ottinger, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Dell Meredith, Warsaw, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Buck and two sons, Medford, Oregon, and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Wheeler and son, Alden, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Cross of McAllen and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kelley of Edinburg, were also guests.

Accepts Position

HARLINGEN—Miss Barbara Kimmell left the past week for San Antonio to accept a position with United Services Automobile Association at Fort Sam Houston. Miss Kimmell is a graduate of Harlingen high school and Brownsville Junior College. She has been a student of stenotypy at the Byrne System School of Business.

Hobby Group Entertained

HARLINGEN — Mrs. A. L. Hamilton entertained the Hobby Group at her home on Kansas City road with a one o'clock luncheon Wednesday. Eight members and three guests, Mrs. J. G. Cochrane, La Feria, Mrs. M. K. Taft, La Feria, and Mrs. J. Raquet, Minnesota, enjoyed the event.

The table was beautifully decorated in the different colors making it very picturesque.

A delicious angel food pie was served as dessert.

The spring season was accented in the clever bird favors.

During the afternoon the group voted to sew for Bundles for Britain at the next meeting at the home of Mrs. Nina Mohr, 301 E. Monroe. Members were Mesdames Tom Bowman, Charles Blakeney, Jack Summers, J. B. Bradford, H. M. Dunaway, J. B. Lankford, Nina Mohr, and A. L. Hamilton.

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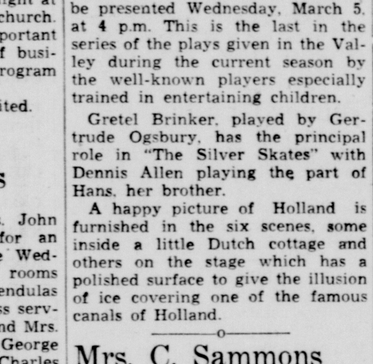

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Bride Is Honored

Mrs. Harold Pendleton of Edinburg was before her marriage recently, Miss Florence Ogden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ogden of Edinburg. Mr. and Mrs. Pendleton are making their home in the Lipscomb Apartments in Edinburg after returning from a wedding trip to Monterrey. Mrs. Pendleton was complimented recently at a large tea by Mrs. C. L. Heinemann. (Kerr Studio.)

San Juan Program Based On China

SAN JUAN — Women of the Methodist Church met Thursday at the home of Mrs. A. D. Mahaffay, with the leader, Mrs. W. G. Smith presenting the study on China, Mrs. Edwards led the devotionals.

Many interesting articles made in China were displayed. Chinese candy, cookies and hot tea were served by Mesdames C. W. Griffith, and Merle Curtis.

Meeting Is Monday

LA FERIA — The Home Demonstration Club will meet at the Legion Hall Monday with Mrs. M. J. Waldorf and Mrs. F. E. Reynolds as hostesses. A program on "Fundamentals of Home Demonstration Club Work" will be presented.

HOMEMAKERS MEET

COLLEGE STATION—(AP)—The annual convention of the Texas Home Demonstration Association will be held at Beaumont, Sept. 3, 4 and 5, Mrs. A. J. Brown of Nederland, president, said Tuesday.

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Quota Told In San Juan

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The quota consists of: 15 women's wool dresses; 14 women's skirts; 15 girls' dresses; 15 girls' skirts; 6 boys' shirts; 10 boys' overalls; 7 hospital bed shirts; 6 convalescent robes; 10 mens' sweaters; 15 ladies sweaters; 35 childrens' sweaters; 5 mufflers; 31 baby jackets; 60 baby blankets; 30 baby kimonos; 60 gowns; 30 dozen diapers.

With this quota to be reached, it is urgent that every woman in the community cooperate, either by taking part in the sewing room work, or by taking garments, or knitting at home.

Spring Blossoms Make Party Setting

WESLACO—Mrs. Ordell Roberson was hostess to the members of the Dos Mesas Club Thursday at her home. Snapdragons were used for decorating.

Mrs. E. B. Ballard was winner of high score.

The hostess served salad and sweet courses at the close of games.

Book Is Reviewed At Meeting Of Club

LA FERIA — Mrs. Margaret Arnold was hostess to the Cultura Club Thursday afternoon at her home. Mrs. R. L. Clayton, president, was in charge of the business.

Mrs. C. E. Vail, program leader, gave an interesting itnerpretation of the book "Maria Chatdelain" by Lewis Hemon. Background of the story was laid in Canada, study topic for the year.

Mrs. J. W. Oats was welcomed as a new member.

Present were Mrs. M. L. Briggs, mother of Mrs. Arnold, a guest, and 14 members.

An attractive refreshment plate was served.

GO TO SAN ANTONIO

SAN JUAN — Mrs. G. A. Hudson left Monday for San Antonio, where she will spend some time convelescing in the homes of her daughters, Mrs. M. B. Tobin and Mrs. Warren Deaton. Mrs. Tobin has been caring for her mother here lately, and Mr. Tobin came here and accompanied Mrs. Hudson and his wife back to San Antonio.

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AP Feature Service Writer

The future of fashion looks more exciting from Los Angeles than from New York.

Does New York split skirts to the knee, with a zipper closing as a mild concession to the conservative.

Does New York show hips widened with tunics and drapery? Los Angeles offers bigger tunics and brighter drapery.

With Hollywood setting the pace, Los Angeles outstrips all other style centers in color, animation and flash. Designers of movie clothes are without inhibitions, don't care what clothes cost, and submit to no "editing" of the sort that New York designers under went before they were allowed to present their creations at New York's late Fashion Futures show.

All this doesn't keep New York from hammering away at its theme song, "New York is now the style capital of the world."

Figures Favor New York

Figures seem to indicate that New York is the style center. At least, it still makes about three-fourths of the country's clothes.

But New York is nervous. Its one-time monopoly in the apparel trades is a thing of the past.

New York concedes shoe leadership to St. Louis, acknowledged manufacturing center, but isn't ready to concede any other sort of garment leadership to any other city, no matter how much the chambers of commerce may shout.

St. Louis is growing in dress strength, too, reaching beyond the "house dress" trade to the "junior miss" trade. That city invited students in its Washington University Art School to become designers for girls from 13 to 22 years of age. Now 90 of the school's alumnae feed designs to an industry which has grown to a $20,000,000 volume within four years.

New York concedes that Los Angeles has a flair for sports clothes, but dislikes seeing the west coast branch out into other garment fields. The exuberant Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce reports: "Over forty states and 5,000 stores were represented at our Spring Market Week showings. Over 650 stores maintain resident buyers here, where less than 40 were so represented in 1933."

San Francisco, strong on coats, listed 1,000 buyers from western states, Alaska and Hawaii at the market week showings of 26 local manufacturers, and reported its most successful season in years.

Others In Race

Chicago, which talks almost as much about creativeness as New York, showed the work of 34 manufacturers at its spring show, while Kansas City, leader in popular priced coats, had enough manufacturing charm to persuade Sears, Roebuck and Co. to make that city its new distributing center for western customers. In 1939 Sears spent eight million dollars in Kansas City and other Missouri cities, and still more in 1940.

Meantime the style leadership fight goes on, with Westerners taking pleasure in challenging the title of the metropolis of the East.

Pharr To Compete For Prize Offered By Garden Council

PHARR—Under the direction of Mrs. R. O. Brewer, chairman of the Pharr Garden Club Bougainvillet, the city of Pharr has been entered in the Bougainvillea Trail contest, being sponsored by the Council of Garden Clubs of the Lower Rio Grande Valley. A prize of $10.00 will be awarded to the town in each group, having planted the most Bougainvilleas during the period of January 1, 1940 to May 1, 1941.

Each purple bougainvillea planted counts one point, while each plant of any other color of bougainvillea, will count one half point, according to rules announced. Reference is given to the purple bougainvillea because of its hardiness and because it was chosen for the trail through the Valley.

First Shipment Made By Harlingen Branch

HARLINGEN—First shipment of materials from the Harlingen branch of Bundles for Britain, Inc., was forwarded Saturday. A large quantity of merchandise for the war victims in England was included in the lot.

The local workroom for Bundles for Britain is open from 9 to 5 p.m. daily. Certain articles offered for sale to assist the project are displayed in a show case and a large stock of materials are available for distribution to volunteer workers.

Women willing to donate an hour or so of their time are much needed and a request is made by the president, Mrs. Robert Pollock, for workers who will assist with sewing or knitting in their homes.

El Jardin Group To Meet Thursday

BROWNSVILLE — The El Jardin home demonstration club will hold an all-day meeting on Thursday, March 6, at the home of Mrs. E. D. Cockrell. A covered dish luncheon will be served.

Group Meets Tuesday

HARLINGEN — The Women's Council of the First Christian Church will meet at 3 p.m. Tuesday at the church for the regular business meeting. Mrs. George Sanders will have charge of the devotional and Mrs. Gregory Vencill will give a lesson on "Stewardship."

Hostess To Group

COMBES—Mrs. W. T. Staton, Jr., was hostess on Thursday to the Young Matrons' Society in an all day affair. The group worked on quilts and had a covered dish luncheon at noon. Those present were Mesdames Mike Waters, William Van Dusen, H. M. Brazil, Robert Quincy Adams, Anna Frances Collingsworth, W. A. Brown, and the hostess.

Feted During Visit

HARLINGEN—Mrs. David Ormesher is visiting in San Antonio where she formerly resided. During the past week Mrs. Ormesher has been feted with a delightful series of affairs arranged by her hostess and other friends.

Meeting Is Tuesday

COMBES—The Methodist Women's Society will meet at the church next Tuesday in a business session.

Vitamins Discussed In Club's Program

MERCEDES—"Research On Vitamins" was the subject of the program given by Mrs. F. O. Scroggins when the Junior Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Pete Melton Tuesday night.

Members present included Mesdames F. R. George Kitchens, William Dudley, Smith McMorries, Robert Taylor, Joe Grimm, Herbert Goza, L. T. Hawkins, and new member, Mrs. J. H. Davis.

At the next meeting Mrs. Tony Rippert will give a talk on fine glass ware, and will exhibit some choice pieces from her stock.

Hostess At Bridge

MERCEDES—Mrs. F. O. Scroggins was hostess to the Friday Bridge Club last week. She chose double nasturiums to brighten the rooms. Mrs. L. T. Hawkins received the high score trophy.

Members enjoying the games were Mesdames Smith McMorris, Robert Taylor, John Kilman, Jr., Joe Grimm, L. T. Hawkins, and Dick Bigden.

Hosts Honored

ALAMO — Mr. and Mrs. C. Spencer of Joliet, Illinois, guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wigton entertained their hosts and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin with a dinner party at the Alamo Hotel on Sunday. The occasion was in honor of Mrs. Wigton's and Mr. Martin's birthdays.

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Wedding Is In Spring

Miss Kathryn Richards left at the week-end for her home at Robstown where her marriage to Ernest Botard will take place in the early spring. Miss Richards, daughter of Mrs. D. P. Richards of Robstown, has just resigned her post as assistant home demonstration agent. Mr. Botard, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Botard of Alice, is county agent in McMullen county and formerly was assistant farm agent for Cameron county. (Holbrook Studio.)

Federation Names New Corps Officers

HARLINGEN — World Day of Prayer for peace was observed and new officers were elected at the meeting of the Federation of Missionary Societies held Friday afternoon at the First Baptist Church.

New officers are Mrs. Helen Smith, president; Mrs. E. A. Shelton, first vice president; Mrs. Henry Carlisle, second vice president; Mrs. May Foster, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. C. W. Clift is the retiring president.

Mrs. Porter Caraway led the program. Topics were discussed as follows: Mrs. E. C. Bennet, "The Union Christian Colleges;" Mrs. Van Snell, "Migrants;" Mrs. C. W. Ferguson, "Indian Students in U. S. Government Schools." Other members assisted with brief paragraphs.

Mrs. Russell Perry was at the piano for group singing led by Mrs. S. G. Stringer.

New officers will be installed at the next meeting to be held the fifth Tuesday in April.

Mercedes Circles Have Social Meeting

MERCEDES—The monthly social of Circles One and Two of the Methodist Church was observed Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Lee Kidder. Co-hostesses were Mesdames Fred Bernard, Paul Shotwell, Harold Roland, and William Dudley. Mrs. Woodie Tullis presided at the meeting.

The program was lead by Mrs. Clyde Roe. Assisting with talks were Mrs. H. A. Hanshaw, Mrs. J. C. Deyo, Mrs. E. H. Poteet, Mrs. Oscar Roman, and Mrs. E. C. Cantrell.

Music was provided by Mrs. J. G. Borman who played a piano solo, "Polish March" by Schubert; Mrs. W. R. Hoover, who sang "Consider The Lily," Scott, accompanied by Mrs. A. E. Branch, and Mrs. Paul Shotwell who played a piano solo, "Arr De Balet," Chammad.

Open House On Monday

WESLACO — Mrs. C. L. Burton was hostess Tuesday night when members of the Womans Christian Temperance Union entertained with an open house honoring Mrs. Claude de Van Watts of Austin, the state president. Mrs. Burton was assisted by Mrs. J. E. Montgomery.

Pretty arrangements of gladioli decorated the living room and the dining room was pretty with elaborate arrangements of sweetpeas on the buffet was a low arrangement of nasturtiums and calamondins.

The dining table was lace laid and centered by sweetpeas on a reflector with four white tapers in crystal holders. Mary Ann Burton presided at the punch bowl at one table end and a large crystal plaque held the assortment of small cookies at the opposite table end.

Musical selections were given during the evening by a trio composed of Miss Versa Reed, Miss Maurine Block, and Miss Hilda Fern Ramley.

Miss Irene Yoder played piano selections and accompanied Frank Yoder who entertained with selections on the saw. Miss Mary Ann Burton gave a delightful reading.

During the Institute held at the Methodist church beginning at eleven o'clock Mrs. J. W. Fincker and Mrs. W. J. Back gave inspiring devotionals, the luncheon hour Mrs. R. E. Erwin gave readings.

Mrs. Watts gave her main talk at three o'clock stressing "Legislation and Membership."

Child Welfare was in charge of Mrs. Frank Yoder, Legislation by Miss Ethel Van Vliet and Scientific Temperance Education by Mrs. J. O. Jorgensen.

Mrs. W. W. Ludwig presided and Rev. Fred Bishop gave the prayer and welcome as pastor of the church.

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Mrs. J. V. Carpenter Is Luncheon Hostess For Valley Visitors

McALLEN—Three prominent Upper Valley visitors were honored Friday when Mrs. J. V. Carpenter was hostess for an unusually delightful luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

Honored guests were Mrs. Ed Byers of Chicago, house guest of the Percy Hermans, Mrs. Allan Shivers, Sr., and Mrs. Allan Shivers, both of Port Arthur. The latter is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shary of Sharyland, whom they are visiting.

Springtime's colors were used with muted effect for decorative effects. The serving table was centered with simple but effective arrangement of pussywillows, iris and pink carnations footed with yellow acacia blossoms in a rectangular cream vase. Highly colored was the china pheasant, nesting in the sprays of fern surrounding the center arrangement.

Quartet tables, laid with green organdy matching the serving table, held dainty arrangements of all-toned sweetpeas and miniature dancing figurines.

Cocktails were served before the luncheon.

Besides the honored guests those present were Mrs. Charles Holland, Mrs. Smith Jones, Mrs. Percy Herman, Mrs. Lee Rowe, Mrs. Si Casady, Mrs. Charles Herndon, Mrs. John T. Lomax, Mrs. Edward Oppenheimer, Mrs. J. K. Boettger, Mrs. Joe LeBow, Mrs. Everett Moore, Mrs. Duke Larson, Mrs. Scott Ford and Mrs. T. E. Vessels.

All Day Session Marks Visit Of W.C.T.U. Head

McALLEN—Mrs. W. C. Watts, state president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, held an all-day meeting of the local organization Wednesday at the First Methodist Church.

The morning session, at which the state leader was the principal speaker, closed at noon with a covered dish luncheon. Rev. F. H. Hamner, pastor of the church, gave the scripture reading and prayer and Mrs. Bertha Beatle of Edinburg, the flag salute.

Dr. W. E. Whigham was the principal speaker at the afternoon session with his explanatory talk "The Failure of Repeal." Mrs. Bertha Charlson of Duluth, Minn., national W.C.T.U. committeewoman, described some of the literature the organization uses in its campaign against alcohol. Mrs. Rosall Levin of Chicago, Ill., spoke on "Loyal Temperance Legion."

Women members of the church served luncheon from tables laid with white and gold, the colors of the W.C.T.U.

Out-of-city guests included Mrs. J. O. Jorgenson and Mrs. W. W Ludwig, Weslaco; Mrs. E. L. Ralston, Edinburg; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Irwin, traveling singing evangelists, with Rev. and Mrs. Hamner.

Bar Auxiliary Has Silver Tea Date

McALLEN — Interesting among social events planned for the future in McAllen is the silver tea members of the McAllen women's auxiliary of the Hidalgo County Bar Association will give March 10.

Mrs. R. D. Cox Jr's., home will be the scene of the event. Proceeds will go to the proposed women's building in McAllen.

The bar auxiliary was formed several weeks ago with Mrs. W. B. Spell president. They plan monthly luncheon meetings.

Dinner Guests

ALAMO — Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Boehme had as dinner guests on Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Les. O. Niel and daughter of McAllen, in honor of Mr. Boehme's eighty-third birthday.

VISIT IN EDNA

MISSION—Mrs. C. C. Phillips and two children are in Edna this week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gray. Dr. Phillips will join them there this week-end and the family will return Sunday.

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Babson Boosts Old Stable Values

By ROGER W. BABSON

BABSON PARK, Florida—It is true that tremendous changes have taken place during the past dozen years. City real estate can today be bought for 20 per cent of what it sold for a dozen years ago. Fifty leading stocks, which sold at $285 in 1929, can now be bought for $75. New York Stock Exchange seats, for which bankers were then scrambling to pay $600,000, can now be bought for around $25,000. Yet, those economists who then forecasted such terrific declines were hooted as old pessimists and undesirable citizens. Strange to say, we are being laughed at today for suggesting that a come-back is just as possible!

On the other side of the picture you will find that high-grade bonds and commodities are selling higher than they did a dozen years ago. In fact, a Massachusetts city recently sold $200,000 notes of five-month maturity at 0.03 per cent. This is at the rate of 12½ cents—or the cost of a package of cigarettes—for the use of $1,000 for 5 months. A dozen years ago this would have cost around twenty dollars instead of 12 1-2 cents.

You Pay One-Third Of Your Salary In Taxes

But you say these changes affect only well-to-do people. All right, what about taxes? The two hundred largest corporations in this country paid last year considerably over $2,000,000,000 in taxes. These companies had about 3,500,000 employes. This means a $600 tax for each man and woman employed. Income taxes have not only doubled, but the number of people required to pay them have greatly increased. All this is in addition to big increases in real estate taxes and taxes upon everything we buy. Nearly all the readers of this column are today paying out in taxes, directly and indirectly, three dollars out of every ten dollars they earn.

Those who forecasted these great tax increases were howled down a dozen years ago. Yet, is it any more unreasonable to believe that taxes will be much less a dozen years hence? So long as the world continues to revolve around the sun, and so long as pendulums continue to swing, then prices, interest rates, real estate values, and taxes will continue to go up, and then down! It is as foolish today to think that things are going to continue to grow worse as it was in 1928 to think that conditions would continue to grow better.

Don't Be Hooked By Crazies

We hear a lot today about the possibilities of synthetics—this means the manufacture of everything artificially, from children to coffins. College professors tell us that our potatoes will be grown by electricity, that cotton will be pulled out of the air, and, instead of bothering to cook food, we will swallow a pill three times a day with a glass of water. Perhaps we will!

Statistics show that with all the college professors, medical experts, and dieticians, we are lucky today if we live to the "three score years and ten" which we read about in the Scriptures of three thousand years ago. My guess is that the next trend will be toward old-fashioned corn bread and molasses, and that we will hear less about vitamins A, B, C, D, E, F, G, and so on ad infinitum. We think candles and kerosene have "gone," but the statistics show that more of both of these are being sold today than ever before.

Educational Changes Are Ahead

Let's look at the educational record: When I was a boy in Gloucester, I attended a two-room school house with a stove at one end and an outhouse in the back yard. But we did learn how to spell, to add, and to work. Moreover, in those days our parents were more interested to have us get training than diplomas. In fact, I did not even get a diploma when finishing my course in high school. Today, our children get their so-called education in palaces with the latest heating, ventilation, and lighting equipment, to say nothing of the extravagant toilet facilities.

Mr. W. J. Cameron, of the Ford Motor Company, told me the other day that the number of students preparing to be mechanics is only about one-seventh the number now employed as mechanics; while the number now studying for the professions is about thirteen times those engaged in the professions! If young men would study these figures more and two-legged figures less, they would learn to be good mechanics, builders, and plumbers. The days when white-collar jobs offered the best opportunities have gone.

It has been said that the only thing which is permanent is change. This means that nothing will remain as it now exists—some things are getting better, while others are getting worse. There will always be changes. If you are blue over the war, read Green's History of England or the history of any country—including the U. S. War has been a normal condition. There is nothing to worry about today if we will have the guts of our ancestors. We needed Hitler to wake us up. Surely England did.

Invest In Homes, Kids, And Religion

It is fair to say that there are certain things which have always been of value and always will be. Let me mention a few: (1) Good health is of great worth. Time and money invested in keeping ourselves well is a primary investment. (2) The ability to take care of one's self, whether by the raising of food or by the building of houses, is of real importance. A dollar may be worth 100 or 10c, but the quart of milk from your own cow which your family drinks always has the same value. (3) A good sensible wife or husband and a family of properly-trained kids cannot be beat as a sound investment. Too many parents depend upon safe deposit boxes rather than upon children. I am still betting on the old-fashioned investment in a good family and a home with a kitchen garden. (4) Let us not forget the Church. It has come through the ages as a great pillar of strength. Better invest a little more money in your Church and other good works. (5) It is well to buy U. S. Baby Bonds, a few well-diversified, conservative stocks, and some life insurance, but remember these are only investments of the past century while the other things have always been valuable and always will be.

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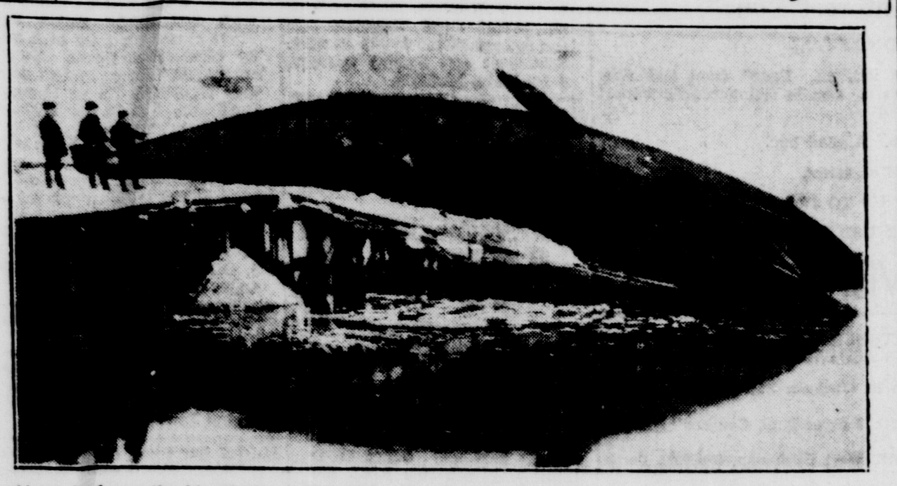

Above is shown the big 68-ton, 55-foot whale now on display in Brownsville at the M. P. Depot with the Great London Trainway Exhibition. Features of the show include the largest hog alive, "Jolly Jumbo," a hog that weighs 1,460 pounds and stands over four feet high; the famous London Flea Circus with the smallest performers alive; a giant Octopus or devil fish; the funny birds that come from the Antarctic, the penguin family that was brought to America by Admiral Byrd; an attraction of the World's Fair in New York, "Sontata" the headless woman. This exhibition will be in Brownsville Sunday only at the M. P. Depot. Tomorrow, Monday, March 3, in San Benito at the M. P. Depot; Tuesday, March 4, in Mercedes; Wednesday and Thursday, March 5 and 6, in McAllen.

Tests For Production In Several Deep Valley Wildcats Highlight Oil News For Week; Kelsey Field Extended

Two Willacy Wells Showing Possible Deeper Sand

McALLEN — Several important deep wildcats in the Lower Rio Grande Valley oil area were making production tests Saturday, some with promising shows.

In eastern Willacy county, two tests of Pan-American Production Company continued to show for production, one about 1,000 feet south of the discovery well and the other one and a half miles to the northwest. While none of the available information could be confirmed from company sources, it was understood that Pan-American's No. 1-B Willamar Community, 1,000 feet south of discovery in Share 13, San Juan de Carricitos Grant, flowed oil in six minutes on drill stem test of sand around 8,100 feet, indicating possibly a new and deeper sand. A considerable broken sand section was reported to have been found in the well between 8,100 and 8,500 feet before the hole was bottomed at about 8,900 feet and 7-inch o.d. casing was cemented at 8,722 feet.

Operators later were reported to be running production test on sand at 7,855-80 feet, a portion of the huge sand section cored in the discovery well and which yielded some oil on drill stem test while the well was drilling. The entire section was reported to have been logged as oil and gas sand with streaks of sand and shale and broken sandy shale at 7,455-7,900 feet.

In the Pan-American No. 1 G. C. Kent, northwest of discovery and and also in Share 13, operators were reported to have bottomed the hole around 8,800 feet and were setting 7-inch o.d. oil string around 8,600 feet.

In southeastern Cameron county, the Valley's deepest drilling wildcat, Pure Oil Company No. 4 Gatewood Newberry, Share 3, Shelton Award Survey, was reported making hole in hard shale past 9,180 feet. Contract depth is 10,000 feet.

In eastern Starr county about three miles north of production in the Rincon field, Arkansas Fuel Oil Company No. 1 F. F. Martinez, Survey 217, was preparing to gun-perforate for another production test, this time in sand around 4,300 feet. Three tests in deeper sands have shown salt water.

About two miles north of main Rincon production, Trans-western Oil Company No. 2 W. I. Cameron, Survey 137, was abandoned at total depth of 5,525 feet after casing had been cemented at 4,850 feet for tests at 4,770-96 feet, at 4,548-51 feet and 4,150-53 feet.

In northwestern Starr, T. B. Hoffer's No. 1 R. J. Hamilton, Survey 306, was making hole around 3,350 feet on a 3,500-foot contract, while Hoffer's No. 1 D. Guerra, Portion 107, about six miles south of the Sun's big Guerra field, was making hole past 2,840 feet. A. J. Brinkoeter, McAllen independent operator and drilling contractor, is drilling both wells.

About a mile northwest of production in the Boyle field in southern Starr, a highly important semi-wildcat, W. W. Zimmerman et al's No. 1 M. M. Garcia, Share 215, Portion 90, Camargo Jurisdiction, was abandoned at total depth of 2,879 feet. Sand at 2,792-2,812 feet yielded oil and salt water, about 260 feet of fluid, without pressure on 17-minute drill stem test. This was the third attempt to tap production in the Boyle area's elusive 2,800-foot sand.

About 3,000 feet north of the Zimmerman test, Dean and Hendrickson's No. 1 Garcia, Share 215, Portion 90, Camargo Jurisdiction, was still spraying amber-colored distillate and considerable gas on quarter-inch tubing choke through casing perforations at 2,850-55 feet with 800 pounds tubing working pressure and 1,050 pounds closed-in casing pressure.

In southern Jim Hogg county, Sun Oil Company No. 1 Mrs. Ella McCampbell, Las Viboritas Grant, was reported drilling around 4,500 feet with no shows reported thus far.

Another new southern Starr county wildcat, Chrest Thompson et al's No. 1 Mrs. A. M. Kelsey-Bass, Lot 8, Block 1, B. and B. Oil Company Subdivision, Portions 86-87, Camargo Jurisdiction, ccemented surface casing at 200 feet and was ready to start for contract depth of 3,500 feet.

At the northeast corner of the Sun field in northeastern Starr, Sun Oil Company No. 1 Nicefiro Pena, Survey 241, was drilled to 5,215 feet and abandoned after making no showing. None of the several Sun field sands indicated production.

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MISSION — While several new producers were completed in South Texas proven fields Saturday, Sun Oil Company gave production in the big Kelsey field a mile-long push to the southwest and that much deeper into Starr county.

Sun's No. B-1 Emilio Trevino, about 6,500 feet southwest of present production at Kelsey and in Block 2, Shares B and C, McBride Subdivision, Santa Teresa Grant, cored the field sand at 4,745-62 feet, bottomed the hole at 4,763 feet and cemented 5 1-2-inch o.d. casing at 4,746 feet. Plugs were being drilled Saturday for production test. Operators recovered 450 feet of oil and 100 feet of oil-cut mud with 94 pounds pressure in 15-minute drill stem test. The location is about 1,000 feet west of the Sun No. 1 Trevino, abandoned as a dry hole only a short time ago.

In the Kelsey field proper, Humble Oil & Refining Co. added another pair of producers and had another new well drilling.

At the southwest edge of production in Brooks County, Humble's No. 79 J. C. McGill, La Blanca Grant, gauged 117 barrels daily on 7-64-inch tubing choke with 750 pounds tubing working pressure and 850 pounds closed-in casing pressure from sand at 4,735-43 feet after casing had been cemented at 4,736 feet.

In the southwest part of the field, Humble's No. 1 Marcos Juarez, Block 6, Shares B & C, McBride Subd., Santa Teresa Grant, Starr County, made 69 barrels daily on open tubing from sand at 4,736-48 feet after installation of flow-valves.

One location southwest of the No. 1 Juarez, Humble's No. 2 Marcos Juarez was drilling below 3,500 feet.

On the north edge of the Kelsey field in Brooks County, Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 3 C. C. Marshall et al, Survey 722, was drilling past 4,600 feet.

Continental Oil Co. added another new producer in the big Rincon field and was busy on two other wells.

Continental's No. B-42 Slick Estate, Survey 486, made 175 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke through casing perforations (60 shots) at 3,744-56 feet. The hole was bottomed at 4,500 feet, where 7-inch o.d. oil string was cemented.

Continental was testing the No. D-1 F. Davenport, Survey 530, which was bottomed at 4,689 feet and which cemented 7-inch o.d. oil string at 4,663 feet. The well was being tested through casing perforations at 4,000-20 feet.

Continental was rigging up to spud the No. B-30 Slick Estate, Survey 266, in the north part of the field.

In the North Rincon field, Sun Oil Co. No. 3 Geo. H. Coates, Survey 515, was coring at 3,624 feet. It had logged a salt water sand at 3,370-80 feet.

Two new wells were added in the Colorado field in southwestern Jim Hogg County and another was being tested.

V. F. Neuhaus' No. C-6 F. G. Trevino, Survey 38, in the central part of the field, made 112 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 60 pounds tubing working pressure and 480 pounds closed-in casing pressure from sand at 2,996-3,008 feet.

In the northeast portion of the field, Humble Oil & Refining No. B-15 King Ranch-Colorado, Las Moritas Grant, made 198 barrels daily on 3-16-inch tubing choke with 310 pounds tubing working pressure and 700 pounds closed-in pressure from sand at 3,030-45 feet.

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VIENNA PACT US WARNING?

Gayda Sees Help For Axis In Spring

ROME—(AP)—Virginio Gayda declared Saturday that Bulgaria's adherence to the three-power alliance—"a further step toward driving British influence completely out of Europe—should be a warning to the United States government.

Writing in Il Giornale D'Italia, the editor, who frequently speaks for the Fascist regime, indicated that the Vienna signing would be a forerunner to Bulgarian help, passive or otherwise, in a spring offensive to defeat Greece.

"It confirms the isolation of Greece in the Balkans," Gayda asserted.

He said that the signatures in Vienna Saturday "should, above all, warn the more responsible men of Washington who would like to assume the attitude of arbitors of European destiny . . ."

BACK FROM LAREDO

PHARR—Mrs. A. A. Kelley and son, Ervin, have returned home from a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seitz and family in Laredo. Mrs. Seitz is Mrs. Kelley's niece.

Boys From The Farm Migrating To Cities Again For Defense Employ; May Become 'Flood,' Expert Says

CHICAGO—(AP)—City jobs are starting to beckon again to the boys on the farms.

Dr. Samuel A. Stouffer, census analyst, said Saturday that defense industries already were beginning to draw on the rural population and that the farm to city movement "may become a flood in a year or two."

A slow but steady farm to city drift for many years had been the natural result of the higher rural birth rate. When city jobs declined during the depression, however, the trend was retarded and even reversed, temporarily.

Dr. Stouffer now expects the normal movement to be greatly accelerated because of what he says is a strong demand in industry for "boys who know how to use a monkey wrench—boys from the farms and small towns."

Dr. Stouffer, consultant to the census bureau and professor of statistics at the University of Chicago, foresees two other possible sociological changes as a result of the defense program:

Transient prosperity attending the employment increase will cause a temporary rise in marriages and births.

The long term effect of the farm to city shift will be a slowing down of the total population growth.

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Blast Victim Dies

TULSA, Okla. — (AP) — Hanford Thompson, 32, died Saturday, the second victim of an explosion Friday at the mid-continent refinery in West Tulsa. The blast in a tube still killed Russell Rector, 20, another workman.

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STATEMENT 4. The 1941 Ford took first place in its class for gas economy in this year's official Gilmore-Grand Canyon Economy Run—averaging 23.05 miles per gallon and 43.19 miles per hour.

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1. ANNOUNCEMENTS

1a. Funeral Directors

STOTLER & BURDETTE MORTUARY
Instant and Reliable Ambulance Service
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Thompson's Mortuary
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CUT FLOWERS for all occasions. Flowering shrubs, potted plants. Free delivery. Tropical Nursery, phone 185-J, Brownsville.

1c. Personals

PILES cured or money refunded. Write F. A. Harris, Box 126, Sebastian for full information.

FOR CERTAIN disposal of paying business or real estate use hard liquor. (Adv. W.C.T.U.)

REV. JOSEPH P. MORGAN, spiritual advisor on all business, life, health affairs daily. 825 St. Francis St., Brownsville.

1d. Lost and Found

LOST: Blue Persian kitten lost Monday night. Reward for return. Telephone 520, Brownsville.

LOST: Setter puppy, age seven months, white with tan ears. $10.00 reward for return. Notify Lee Akin, McAllen Canning Co., phone 1108, McAllen.

LOST: In or near Mission Curio Shop Friday, February 28, billfold containing valuable cards. Reward. Return to Dr. W. T. Gibbs, Mission.

1e. Travel, Transportation

DRIVING to Los Angeles March 9. Dodge Sedan. Want 3 share expense passengers. References exchanged. Gordon D. Pearson, 808 N. 10th, McAllen.

WANTED: Two share-expense passengers to Northern Illinois. Leaving 4th. A. P. Hill, 3 1-4 miles North Taylor road, West of McAllen.

WANTED: Share expense ride to Chicago or vicinity on or before March 6. Box 31, Mercedes.

McALLEN REYNOSA BUS LINE

McALLEN to REYNOSA	
8:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
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12:00 A.M.	6:00 P.M.
	8:00 P.M.
Saturday and Sunday	11:00 P.M.

REYNOSA to McALLEN	
7:50 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
9:00 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
11:00 A.M.	5.00 P.M.
	7:00 P.M.
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2. EMPLOYMENT

2a. Male Help Wanted

AUTOMOBILE MECHANIC, also one service station attendant. Apply at 219 No. A, Harlingen.

APPLICATIONS wanted: Ambitious young boys between the ages of 14 and 16 desirous of carrying a route for the STAR in Harlingen. All applicants must have a bicycle. Please apply at the STAR office, circulation department.

WANTED-By one of the Valley's outstanding concerns, bookeeper or office manager, state age and experience, also references in letter. Position will be filled in next 30 days. Write Box-1492, care Star.

WOULD like to hear from reliable men we can train to overhaul, install and service Air Conditioning and Refrigerating Equipment. Must be mechanically inclined. No interference with present occupation. For interview write at once giving name, address, age. Utilities Inst., Box A-140, Star, Harlingen.

IMPLEMENT firm wants young man experienced in retail parts department. State qualifications and references. Box A-142, c-o Star, Harlingen.

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2a. Male Help Wanted

DEALER wanted to handle a Mexican meat specialty in exclusive Rio Grande Valley territory. Product in large demand with some established business. Man now contacting food retailers preferred. For details, write postoffice Box 266, Brownsville.

2b. Female Help Wanted

AMERICAN girl for general housework, to live on premises. Phone 1443 or 921 E. Polk, Harlingen.

TWO experienced waitresses. Must know table and curb service. Gus's Diner, Harlingen.

WANTED: Two experienced waitresses, must be good. Top prices paid. 143 South Sam Houston, San Benito.

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WANTED: Experienced woman for housework. Stay on premises part time. Call Mr. Renfro, 6011-F-31, week-days, Brownsville.

2c. Male-Fem. Help Wanted

WANTED: Good fry cook, must be experienced. Apply 143 South Sam Houston, San Benito.

2d. Sales Help, Agents

WANTED: Salesmen, attractive proposition, must be hardworkers. Phone 11, Harlingen, Sunday 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

YOUR OWN dresses free and up to $22 weekly just showing Fashion Frocks to friends. No experience needed. No investment. FASHION FROCKS, Dept. W-2526, Cincinnati, O.

2e. Work Wanted

RELIABLE young man wants employment driving car. Can go anywhere. H. A. Lacerte, Lincoln Apartments, McAllen.

GIRL attending beauty college wants work in exchange for room and board. Call Maxine Kirkland, 9534, Harlingen.

WANTED: Practical nursing by middle aged lady. References furnished. Mrs. J. S. Toland, Rt. 2, San Benito.

2g. Instructions

Your Opportunity

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3. BUSINESS CHANCES

OPERATOR wanted for service station in good location, Harlingen. Applicant must be able to give good references, be able to deliver the goods. Experience necessary. See J. B. Hicks, phone 178, Harlingen.

SMALL CAFE with equipment for sale. Located in main part of thriving Valley city. Box 583, La Feria.

ONE of best paying tourist courts in McAllen. Owner wishes to retire. Van Ramshorst, next to bank, McAllen.

SERVICE station on main highway in McAllen, doing a real business. Van Ramshorst, next to bank, McAllen.

BUSINESS opportunity: Man, draft-exempt, own operate local cash business. Up to $25 weekly. $200 cash required. Write, giving address, to Box 17, c-o Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

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BEAUTY shop for sale; modern, low rent, good business. Leaving town. Lily's Beauty Shop, 808 Washington Street, Brownsville.

Complete Grocery and Market Equipment, New Stock

Would like to contact party with at least $500 and interested in the purchase of a nice, clean going grocery store and meat market. Located in a new building. On paved road. Write

OWNER, Box 24,
c-o Brownsville Herald,
Brownsville

5. MDSE. FOR SALE

5a. Household Goods

LEAVING Valley, must sell quickly electric roaster, bed, springs, radio, shaver, spinet piano, only slightly used. Would consider fruit. 509 E. Taylor, Apartment 2, telephone 459-W, Harlingen.

USED
Washing Machine, Norge, full size, A-1 condition, a bargain at $35.00. Only $5.00 PER MONTH
Tom Stevenson
430 Eleventh St. Phone 222
BROWNSVILLE

SEVEN-FOOT Norge refrigerator, 9x12 wool rug. Both in first class condition. Will take typewriter as part payment. Box 457 or phone 101, La Feria.

FOR SALE: 6-foot Frigidaire, electric range, Westinghouse mangle, Maytag washer, $50 each. Owner leaving city. Call 461, Harlingen.

5e. Miscellaneous

STORE FIXTURES of Gwen's Shop, Harlingen, including electric cash register. Inquire Hertz Style Shop.

FOR SALE: Alfalfa hay. B. H. Dunlap, La Feria.

FOR SALE: Baled cane hay. See L. R. Wasson, Oscar Williams Road, San Benito, phone 6009-F-2.

NEW Mallernee streamline water ram now only $19.00. 1 1-2" inlet, 3-4" outlet. See at Bush Supply Co., Harlingen. Spencer Sauer Lumber Co., Rio Hondo.

WANTED: Someone to take up payments on Stover water softener, fourteen payments made. Like new. Box 304, San Perlita, Texas.

THREE good used clarinets. Fine for beginners, $21.50 each. Young's Music Store, McAllen.

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GYPSUM for sale. See J. T. Hempel, phone 6001-F-22, 2 miles N. Ware Road, McAllen.

6. MDSE. WANTED

6a. Wanted to Buy

WANTED: Four or five rooms of good furniture. Cash. Call 765, Harlingen.

WANTED TO BUY: Anyone having new or used addressograph frames for sale. Call or write Tripak Machinery Corp. Harlingen.

CASH: Rags, rubber, metal, batteries, burlap sacks. Texas Waste Material Company, 14th-Resaca, phone 791, Brownsville.

6b. Wanted to Trade

TRADE: One 1938 Plymouth Sedan in A-1 condition for equity in city property. Call 202 W. Jackson street, Harlingen.

7. REAL ESTATE

7a. Rooms for Rent

BEDROOM, close in. Front entrance, private bath, garage. Telephone 1108, Harlingen.

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7b. Rentals

FOR RENT: 4-room southeast apartment. Horn Apartments, phone 449, Harlingen.

FURNISHED garage apartment, modern conveniences. 1022 E. Harrison. Call Mrs. Koniakowsky, 234 or 242-J, Harlingen.

RENT: One six-room house, modern at $17.50 per month. 313 South Olive. Call at 202 W. Jackson, Harlingen.

FOR RENT: 4-room furnished apartment, refrigeration, garage. Reasonable. Apply 321 North 8th street, Harlingen.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, bath and garage, $15.00 per month. 406 S. Olive, Harlingen.

NICE 6-room unfurnished house, near high and central ward schools, 2-car garage. Mrs. Ethel Parker, phone 1128, Harlingen.

FOR RENTAL PROPERTY see Mrs. Ethel Parker 109 W. Van Buren, phone 1128, Harlingen.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED apartments, houses. Desirable bedrooms. Listings appreciated. Mrs. J. L. Swann, phone 1169-W Harlingen.

FOR RENT: Nice, clean 5-room brick veneer house, venetian blinds, lovely yard. Permanent party preferred. 1010 E. Madison, phone 142 or 289-W, Harlingen.

FOR RENT: Newly furnished 3-room apartment. See Mrs. Belden, 418 E. Harrison, phone 454, Harlingen.

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FURNISHED apartment, close in, well furnished, innerspring mattress. 109 North 10th. Steward, phone 1505-W, Harlingen.

FIVE-ROOM unfurnished house 1021 E. Monroe, reasonable rent. Permanents. Phone 432. Call at 1010 E. Jackson, Harlingen.

MODERN five-room unfurnished house. Screened porch. 1235 Northwest St. Charles, Brownsville.

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BEAUTIFUL 5-room home, close-in, $37.50 per month. See Rankin Realty Co., Mission.

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7. REAL ESTATE

7f. Houses for Sale

These Will Interest You

HOUSE FOR SALE, TO BE MOVED OFF LOT.

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BRICK HOME in very good location. A good buy.

FIVE-ROOM HOME, close in at $2250 on terms.

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FIVE-ROOM MODERN HOME, close in (Jackson St.) $2000.00. $300.00 will handle.
SIX-ROOM, TWO-STORY HOME, with 3 acres land, Combes highway. $3000.00. Terms.
FIVE-ROOM MODERN BRICK HOME, West Buchanan, $3250.00. Some cash and terms.
SIX-ROOM MODERN HOME, four blocks postoffice, $2500.00. Part cash and terms.
40 ACRES, GOOD FIVE-ROOM HOME, one mile city limits Harlingen, $75.00 per acre. Terms.
20 ACRES, GOOD FOUR-ROOM HOME (pavement), three miles city limits, $2000.00. Terms.
FIVE ACRES 12-YEAR-OLD GROVE with modern, 5-room house (pavement), near Combes, $5000.00. Third cash, balance terms. (See this place tomorrow, worth $7500.00.)
CORNER LOT, ON PAVEMENT, six blocks postoffice, $350.00.
FOR RENT: Modern two- and five-room homes, other buildings, pavement, Stewart Place. Give one year lease, $25.00 per month.

OUR 16 YEARS IN HARLINGEN (REAL ESTATE BUSINESS) SHOULD BE OF SOME VALUE TO YOU. LIST YOUR PROPERTY WITH US.

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7. REAL ESTATE

7b. Rentals

NEW modern home on South Jackson Road. See Schwingel and Swope, Rooms 207-09, 6 1-2 S. Main, McAllen.

UNFURNISHED house, 821 West St. Francis St., $30 month. Inquire next door or phone 846, Brownsville.

SIX-ROOM house on paved street. All conveniences, $25 per month. Available March 1. Phone 99, Brownsville.

UNFURNISHED modern house, two bedrooms. Located at 815 West 19th Street. Phone 1238, or apply 1621 Lakeside, Brownsville.

EIGHT-ROOM, partly furnished house, double garage, 241 Washington. Apply 615 Third St., Brownsville.

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THREE-ROOM downstairs apartment, new Electrolux. Telephone 1404 after 4 p.m., or inquire at 1550 West St. Charles, Brownsville.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment. Garage. Close in. Reasonable. 442 Southeast Levee, telephone 578, Brownsville.

UNIQUE furnished three-room apartment, suitable for couple. Utilities paid. Adults only. Phone 1615-J, Brownsville.

7c. Wanted to Rent

WANTED: Small apartment, bedroom, kitchen and bath; furnished. Soldier with two children. To be available by March 10. Write Box 20, c-o Herald, Brownsville.

7f. Houses for Sale

FIVE-ROOM stucco home, close-in, furniture included. Cheap for quick cash sale. Write Monitor, Box C-193, McAllen.

NORTHERN loan company will accept as little as $50.00 down to reliable buyers, on modern homes they have left in Brownsville, Edinburg, Weslaco and McAllen. Van Ramshorst, next to bank, McAllen.

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7. REAL ESTATE

7f. Houses for Sale

FOR SALE: New colonial two-story home in Los Ebanos. Telephone Mrs. Oshman, 1337, Brownsville, for appointment.

SIX-ROOM brick veneer home. Appraised value $6,250. If $4,250 isn't a good price, what do you want? Lee D. Rowe, 120 N. 12th, McAllen.

Apartment House Already Financed!
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$2850.00 buys nice newly decorated 5-room house with front and back porches and a garage, well located in Los Ebanos. $850 cash, balance $26.75 per month including principal, interest and taxes.

$5,500.00 buys beautiful six-room brick veneer home in Los Ebanos with screened-in back and front porches, double garage, and storage room. $500.00 cash, balance monthly installments at five per cent interest.

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7h. Farms, Ranches for Sale

FOR SALE: Non-resident owner now in Brownsville wishes to dispose of beautiful homesite. Resaca frontage. Just over city line. Airport highway. 15 acres, or any part of same. Less than one-half original price. Write Box 8, c-o Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

21-ACRE grove on highway between McAllen and Mission. Good location for tourist court or drive inn. A real bargain for quick sale. Van Ramshorst, next to bank, McAllen.

17 ACRES South I Road. Electricity and phone line. Paved road. 12-year-old trees, especially fine. $250 per acre. Schwingel and Swope, Rooms 207-09, 6 1-2 S. Main, McAllen.

7. REAL ESTATE

7h. Farms, Ranches for Sale

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$25 per acre is the price on an 800-acre tract of undeveloped land in the Northeastern part of Cameron County. Stop and investigate.

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14 1-2 acre orchard all Marsh Whites and oranges. The price less than $199. Three quarter miles off highway up Mission Road. This orchard is a honey, well kept and a top buy.

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7i. Trade Real Estate

WILL exchange producing grove in Bayview for small tract on highway near Harlingen. Write Box 23, c-o Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

ATTRACTIVE six-room modern home. Large yard, beautiful shrubbery. Easy terms. 1110 E. Madison, phone 1121 or 1097-W, Harlingen.

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Mercedes Hotel
Mercedes, Texas, offers:
Want 10-acre orchard with at least half oranges. Improvements not material. Will pay cash. Describe fully what you have.
Good frame, 22-room hotel, Ordman, Colorado, 50 miles east of Pueblo on U. S. highway. Completely furnished and will average about $150.00 net monthly, says owner. Want tourist camp or hotel in the Valley and might consider good orchard. This is ideal if you want higher altitude.
Remember tourists, I have bargain in tourist camp, also fine grocery and meat market on which will accept some clear trade. Also wholesale and retail oil and gas station, and one of the best super stations in the Valley, and many, many other bargains.

7j. Business Property

FOR RENT: Vegetable packing shed, 40x110 on Mopac right of way La Feria. Emil Eggum, one mile East Hiway, San Juan.

BRICK income properties on main street, all rented, permanent tenants, in good repair—by owner. Box A-141, Staf, Harlingen.

9. FARM NEEDS

9b. Cattle, Horses, Mules

FOR SALE: 3 Hereford bulls, age 8 to 9 months. L. W. Kilbourn, 1 1-2 miles east Combes.

9c. Poultry, Supplies

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OUR TRAP-NESTED BIG LEGHORNS, R. I. Reds, also hybrids. Custom hatching, pullets. Fisher Poultry Farms and Hatchery, Raymondville.

9. FARM NEEDS

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9d. Feeds, Seeds, Plants

FOR SALE: Two to three million large Rutger tomato plants for sale immediately. Five miles south of Mercedes, intersection of the Rio Rico and Military highway. Frank S. Otsuki, Route 2, Box 26, Mercedes, Texas.

FOR SALE: Alfalfa hay. B. H. Dunlap, La Feria, Texas.

FOR SALE: Large Rutgers tomato plants, $1.50 per thousand. Any amount. Phone order to Cawley Paxton, Brownsville.

PLANT our early bearing bred-up pecan and fruit trees now. Catalog free. Bass Pecan Company, Lumberton, Miss.

CITRUS nursery stock, Hamlin and Valencia oranges now ready for planting, large limes and lemons in stock. Also 400 large Hamlin caliper two to three inches. Adams Gardens Nursery Corp., Harlingen.

MOST beautiful display double poinsettias in Valley last three seasons. Cuttings for sale. 215 S. Broadway, McAllen.

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All Varieties
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Harlingen-San Benito

10. BUSINESS SERVICE

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ELIZABETH'S HEIRLOOM SHOP
Authentic Antiques
Main Highway East of Pharr

FURNITURE REP., UPHOLSTERING

FURNITURE repaired, upholstered and refinished. Phone 464, 418 East Harrison. Belden Furniture, Harlingen.

FURNITURE repaired, refinished. Porch curtains, slip covers. Phone 422, 305 West Jefferson. Port City Tent Awning Co., Brownsville.

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10. BUSINESS SERVICE

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If you need money for your automobile or truck licenses, see us. We have given five years of satisfactory service. ASK OUR CUSTOMERS.
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1315 Austin McAllen

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$254 KNAPP
1941 LICENSE FREE
KNAPP CHEVROLET CO.
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AUTO LOANS
GENERAL INSURANCE
Phone 1320 Harlingen
Over First National Bank

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Have three Spinet Pianos
2 Large Practice Pianos
1 Grand Piano—all nationally known makes
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No Reasonable Offer Refused. Terms If Desired
Not a Dealer.
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12. AUTOMOBILE
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1938 Chevrolet Coach ...$395
1939 Chevrolet Coach ...$495
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1939 Mercury Fordor $595
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Boggus Motor Co.
Phone 312 Harlingen
"HOME OF LIFETIME GUARANTEED USED CARS"
1940 TOM JONES

The Browder Policy ~ IS YOUR SAFEGUARD

When you see the Best . . . You'l forget the Rest. Our Stock is very complete, just about any make and model is on our lot. We invite you to see for yourself the various values we are offering.

1939 Ply. Deluxe Tudor ...$495
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These are only samples of our many bargains.

BROWDER MOTOR CO.
HARLINGEN ~
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Our Stock of coupes is out of proportion—so we are offering the following exceptional bargains:

—1941 LICENSE ON ALL CARS—

1936 DODGE COUPE Lots of transportation $195
1937 PLYMOUTH De Luxe Coupe, white wall tires, motor reconditioned.... $250
1938 DE SOTO COUPE, new tires, overdrive transmission $350
1939 CHEVROLET COUPE, low mileage, 6-ply tires $495
1939 BUICK 40 COUPE, extra clean, G. M. Radio $595
1939 PLYMOUTH De Luxe Coupe, refinished, looks and runs like new.. $495
1940 PLYMOUTH De Luxe Coupe, low mileage, perfect in every way..... $595

Twenty-five other cars to select from. All have been reconditioned and checked and are sold under our . . .

—Standard Money-Back Gurantee—

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1937 FORD TUDOR Original paint, 1st class condition
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FERGUSON MOTOR CO.
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1939 PLYMOUTH DeLUXE TUDOR—DRIVEN ONLY 12,000 MILES.
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1937 CHRYSLER FORDOR SEDAN $445
1938 CHRYSLER FORDOR SEDAN $495
1937 PACKARD FORDOR $495
1936 LINCOLN ZEPHYR $425
1937 LINCOLN ZEPHYR $475
1936 FORD TUDOR $250
1937 WILLYS FORDOR SEDAN $225

BROWNSVILLE MOTOR CO

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First and Second LIEN
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And Repair.
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12. AUTOMOBILE
12d. Used Cars

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1935 PACKARD CLUB SEDAN, new paint, seat covers, trunk and trunk rack.

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FOR SALE: 1938 Chevrolet Coupe, clean, $335.00. Trade or terms. Arroyo Station, Harlingen.

1938 DeSOTO Sedan, overdrive, radio. New car guarantee, $595. Brady Motor Co., 1018 Ash, McAllen.

1937 CHRYSLER Airflow Sedan. Overdrive, life guard tubes, exceptionally clean. New car guarantee, $595. Brady Motor Co., McAllen.

1939 LINCOLN Zephyr Sedan. Radio, low mileage, looks and drives like new, $845. Brady Motor Co., McAllen.

1940 BUICK Super Torpedo 4-door Sedan. Fully equipped extras. Low mileage, just driven from Flint, Mich., by tourist. Save $500. Priced to sell, $995. 1023 Keralum, Mission, phone 276.

12f. Trucks. Trailers

1940 CHEVROLET long wheel base 1 1-2 ton truck. New U. S. Fleetway Rayon tires all around 825x20 Dual rear and 700x20 front. Two speed rear end. Original finish. This truck will suit you. About $500 discount from new price. Carpenter Chevrolet Sales Co., McAllen.

12g. House Trailers

TRAILE HOUSE 16 feet, furnished for two people. Bargain this week. Drive in Trailer entrance. Butler's Camp, Mission.

FOR SALE: House trailer 22 feet long. Ruby Moren, Webb's Drug Store, Raymondville.

Fire Records

Area Saved $23,950 In '41 Premiums

McALLEN—Good fire records in the Valley will save its residents an estimated $23,950 during 1941 on fire insurance premiums, according to information from the South Texas Chamber of Commerce in San Antonio.

In the maximum 25 per cent credit class and their estimated saving are, Alamo, $400; San Benito, $2,850; Brownsville, $5,000; McAllen, $5,100; Mercedes, $2,000; Mission, $1,800; Port Isabel, $1,400, and Rio Grande City $500.

Cities with 20 per cent credits are Harlingen, $3,000; Raymondville, $650, and Weslaco, $1,250.

Prisoner Is Given His Wish By Judge

BROWNSVILLE —(AP)— Judge Robert J. McMillan asked the defendant, charged with smuggling, if he had anything to say.

"Well," said the fellow, "I've got a lot of friends at Leavenworth penitentiary and I'd like to go there."

He did—sentenced to two years.

LOS FRESNOS — E. H. Sparkman, professor of Spanish in Baylor University at Waco, was a guest of Miss Evelyn Page in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Goates on Thursday evening. Miss Page is a graduate of Baylor University.

DAY'S NEWS OF NATION'S MARKETS

STOCK LIST

NEW YORK STOCKS
By The Associated Press

Al Ch & Dye	146½	146½	146½
Am Can	85	85	85
Am S & R	40½	40¼	40½
Am Tel & Tel	160⅜	160⅛	160⅜
Am Woolen	6¾	6⅝	6¾
Anaconda	24⅜	24	24¼
ATSF	23	23	23
Aviation Corp	3⅜	3⅛	3⅜
Barnsdall Oil	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜
Bendix Av	34⅞	34¾	34¾
Beth Steel	78¼	78	78½
Borden Co	19¼	19	19⅛
Chrysler	66	65¾	65⅞
Col Gas & El	4¼	4¼	4¼
Consol Oil	5½	5½	5½
Cont Can	37½	37½	37½
Cont Oil Del	17½	17⅜	17½
Corn Prod	45¾	45⅜	45½
Curtiss Wright	8½	8¼	8¼
Douglas Airc	71½	71½	71½
El Power & Lt	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
Gen Elec	33	32⅞	32⅞
Gen Foods	45¼	35	35
Gen Motors	43⅛	42⅞	42⅞
Goodrich	13¼	13	13⅛
Goodyear	18¼	17¾	17⅞
Greyhound	11⅛	11	11
Int Hydro El A	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Lorillard	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞
Mid Cont Pet	13½	13⅜	13⅜
Montgom Ward	37	36⅞	36⅞
Nash Kelvinator	4¼	4⅛	4⅛
Nat Dairy Pr	13⅜	13⅛	13⅛
Ohio Oil	7	6⅞	7
Packard Mot	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
Pan Am Airways	12¾	12½	12½
Panhandle P & L	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Penney	76¾	76¼	76¼
Phillips Pet	36	36	36
Pure Oil	7⅞	7¼	7⅜
R C A	4¼	4⅛	4⅛
Sears Roebuck	71⅞	71⅜	71⅜
Socony Vac	8⅛	8½	8½
Sou Pac	9	8⅞	9
Stand Brands	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
S O Cal	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
S O Ind	26¼	26	26¼
S O NJ	34⅜	34⅜	34⅜
Stone & Webster	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜
Tex Pac Ry	10½	10½	10½
Tex Corp	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞
Tex Gulf Sulph	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞
Tex Pac C & O	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Tide Wat A Oil	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛
Union Carbide	65	65⅝	64⅝
Union Oil	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
United Airc	38½	38½	38½
United Gas Imp	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
U S Rubber	21	20⅜	20⅜
U S Steel	59	58½	58½
Walgreen	20	20	20
Warner Bros	3	3	3
W U Tel	20⅛	20	20
West El & Mfg	95½	95½	95½
White Mot	14	13⅞	13⅞
Wilson & Co	4¾	4¾	4¼
Woolworth	31	30¾	31

NEW YORK CURB

Am Cyan B	34¼	33⅞	34
Am Gas & El	29⅛	28½	28¾
Bellanca Airc	3⅜	3⅛	3⅜
Cities Service	5	4¾	5
Crocker-Wh El M	5	4¾	4¾
El Bond & Sh	54	54	54
Fairchild Av	8¼	8¼	8¼
Gulf Oil	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛
Humble Oil	53⅜	53½	53½
Lone Star Gas	9⅞	9¾	9⅞
Niag Hud Pow	3	2⅞	2⅞
Todd Shipyards	89	89	89
Unit Lt & Pow A	11¾	11¾	11¾

NEW YORK BONDS

Foreign			
Ger Govt	7S	49	12⅞
Italy	7S	1951	36⅝
Japan	6½	54	65½
Domestic			
Alleghany	5S	50	62¼
Am Ig Chem	5½	49	103¼
Am T & T	5½	43	103¼
AT & SF	4S	95	108¼
Can Pac	4S	perp	85½
CB & Q	4½	77	75½
Chi Gt West	4	59	33¼
Cri & P	4½	52A	9½
Erie Rf	5S	75	18⅛
Gt Nor	4S	46	100½
Il Cen	4¾	66	40½
KC South	5	50	64
M K T	5S	62	17½
NY NH & H	4½	67	22¾
Nor Pac	6S	2047	64¾
Penn RR	3¼	52	89¼
St Louis SF	4½	78	11¾
Sou Pac	4½	68	47
South Ry	4S	56	46⅜
Tex Corp	3	59	104⅜
Tex & Pac	5	80D	68¾
Un Pac 1st	4S	47	111¾

STOCKS IN THE SPOTLIGHT

NEW YORK—(AP)—Sales, closing price and net change of the fifteen most active stocks Saturday:

US Rubber 4,200	20⅜	+ ¼
Loft 2,800	17¾	— ⅛
Int Pap & P 2,600	13¼	— ¼
Packard 2,500	2¾	— ⅛
Std Oil NJ 2,500	34⅜	No
Leh Val Coal Pf 2,300	3½	+ ⅛
US Steel 2,200	58½	+ ½
Param Pict 2,000	10⅞	— ¼
Pac Tin Cons 2,000	3⅛	— ⅛
North Amer Co 1,900	15⅞	No
Deere & Co 1,800	20¼	+ ½
Anaconda 1,800	24¼	No
Amer Crystal Sug 1,700	12⅝	+ ⅛
Socony-Vac 1,700	8½	— ⅛
Kennecott 1,700	32⅛	-

BUTTER AND EGGS

CHICAGO—(AP)—Butter, steady, unchanged.

Eggs steady, current receipts 15½; dirties 14½, checks 14; others unchanged.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK—(AP)—The free Argentine peso dropped 1-10 of a cent Saturday to the lowest price of the year in terms of the United States dollar.

The Hongkong dollar dipped .02 of a cent. The Canadian dollar rose ⅛.

Closing rates follow (Great Britain in dollars, others in cents).

Canada

Official Canadian Control Board rates for U. S. dollars; buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent. Canadian dollar in New York open market 14⅜ per cent discount or 85.62½ U. S. cents.

Europe

Great Britain, official, (Bankers Foreign Exchange Committee rates), buying $4.02, selling $4.04; open market, cables $4.03½; Germany 40.05N; (Benevolent) 20.15; Finland 2.05N; Greece .68N; Hungary 19.77N; Italy 5.06; Portugal 4.01; Sweden 23.85; Switzerland (X) 23.23; Yugoslavia 2.30N.

Latin America

Argentine official 29.77; free 23.40; Brazil official 6.05N; free 5.80N; Mexico 20.70N.

Far East

Japan 23.48; Hongkong 24.64; Shanghai 5.72.

(Rates in spot cables unless otherwise indicated).

N—Nominal. X—for commercial transactions.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO—(AP)—Wheat prices fluctuated within a range of about a cent Saturday, rising above or dipping below the previous closing level and finishing with only slight net change.

Wheat closed ¼ lower to ¼ higher compared with Friday, May 83½-⅝, July 75⅜-½; corn unchanged to ¼ down, May 60⅜-¾, July 60½; oats unchanged to ⅛ off.

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO—(AP)—Cash wheat sample yellow 78½.

Corn No. 2 yellow old 64; No. 3, 65¼; No. 3 new 60-62¼; No. 4, 58¼-61¼; No. 5, 56¼-58¼; No. 3 white 68; sample 55¼.

Oats No. 2 red heavy 37¼; No. 1 white heavy 38¼; No. 2 38½.

TEXAS GRAIN

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Demand for grain on the Fort Worth market was dull Saturday.

Wheat—No. 1 hard 90-93c.

Barley—No. 2 nominally 56-57c.

Sorghums—No. 2 yellow milo per 100 lbs nom 1.10-12; No. 2 white kafir nom 1.08-10.

Corn, shelled—No. 2 white 72-73½c.

Oats—No. 2 red 41-42c.

TEXAS PRODUCE

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Produce unchanged.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN

KANSAS CITY—(AP)—Wheat: 54 cars, ¼ lower to ¼ higher. No. 2 dark hard, 90¼-80¾; No. 2 hard 81¼; No. 2 red, 81-81¾. Close: May 76⅛; July 72¾; September 72¾.

Corn: 30 cars, ½-¾ lower. No. 2 white nom 58¾-60; No. 2 yellow nom 57¾-59; No. 2 mixed nom 57¼-58½. Close: May 57⅞; July 57¾.

Oats: 2 cars; ¼ lower. No. 2 white nom 35-36½.

NEW ORLEANS SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Spot cotton closed quiet 1 point higher. Sales 306 low middling 9.01, middling 10.46, good middling 11.01, receipts none. Stock 332,092.

CITRUS

VALLEY CARLOT SHIPMENTS FRIDAY

Grapefruit 63, Oranges 4, Beets 2, Beets and Carrots 3, Broccoli 1, Cabbage 43, Carrots 8, Endive 1, Parsley 1, Mixed Vegetables 102, total 228 cars.

Totals by Rail and Boat to Date This Season: Grapefruit 6423, Oranges 691, Mixed Citrus 515, Tangerines 4, Lemons 3, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 53, Beans 1, Beets 248, Beets and Carrots 196, Broccoli 26, Cabbage 1193, Carrots 612, Dandelion 2, Eggplant 2, Endive 26, Escarole 4, Greens 6, Parsley 74, Peas 58, Peppers 103, Potatoes 45, Radishes 31, Spinach 105, Squash 2, Tomatoes 244, Turnips 1, Mixed Vegetable 3943, total 14,611.

To The Same Date Last Season: Citrus Fruit 10,671, Vegetables 8838, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 94, total 19,603 cars.

AVERAGE AUCTION PRICES OF GRAPEFRUIT SOLD AND UNREPORTED FRIDAY

NEW YORK: Texas Pinks 425 Boxes Gen Avg 1.94, High 1.91, Low 1.63.

Fla Marsh 5070 Boxes Gen Avg 1.91, High 2.19, Low 1.66.

Fla Marsh 2570 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.42, High 1.59, Low 1.23.

Fla Other 2355 Boxes Gen Avg 1.49, High 1.79, Low 1.35.

Fla Marsh Pinks 190 Boxes Gen Avg 1.93, High 2.12, Low 1.79.

VALLEY TRUCK CITRUS MOVEMENT FRIDAY (98 Trucks)

Grapefruit: 80 lb Boxes 14556, ½ Boxes 89, Bushels 30, 80 lb Sacks 2529, 50 lb Sacks 109, 40 lb Sacks 41.

Oranges: 80 lb Boxes 5269, 50 lb Boxes 47, ½ Boxes 132, Bushels 108, 50 lb Sacks 1779, 40 lb Sacks 62, 20 lb Sacks 200, 10 lb Sacks 909.

Tangerines: Bushels 28, Half Bushels 6.

Carlot Equiv Feb. 28: Grapefruit 43.1, Oranges 16.8, Tangerines 0, total 59.9 cars.

To Date This Season: Grapefruit 7113.7, Oranges 3831.6, Tangerines 101.9, total 11047.2.

To Date Last Season: Grapefruit 4678.6, Oranges 3434.4, Tangerines 113.0, total 8226.0.

FLORIDA TRUCK CITRUS MOVEMENT FRIDAY

Carlot Equiv Feb. 28: Grapefruit 31, Oranges 68, Tangerines 4, total 103 cars.

To Date This Season: Grapefruit 2590, Oranges 10043, Tangerines 1095, total 13728 cars.

To Date Last Season: Grapefruit 2205, Oranges 9490, Tangerines 1229, total 12924 cars.

SALES OF CITRUS ON SATURDAY'S WHOLESALE MARKETS IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES

FORT WORTH: Grapefruit: Market Steady Marsh Boxes: US No. 2s 1.25-1.50, US No. 3s 1.10-1.25, Marsh Pink US 3s: Std Boxes 1.35-1.50.

Oranges: Market Steady Nail and Wire Boxes: Valencias US 2s mostly 2.00-2.25, US No. 2s 1.75-2.00.

DENVER: Grapefruit: Market Steady Marsh US Comb: Std Boxes 54s to 64s 1.40-1.50, 70s and Smaller 1.60-1.85, Wire Boxes: 54s to 64s 1.10-1.25, 70s and Smaller 1.40-1.60.

Oranges: Market Steady Valencias: Wire Boxes 2.25.

KANSAS CITY: Grapefruit: Market Steady Marsh US Comb: Std Boxes 2.25, US Comb, US 2s and Better: Wire Box 1.35-1.85, Marsh Pink US Comb: Std Boxes 2.25-2.75.

Oranges: Market Steady Valencias: Wire Boxes 2.40-2.50, Temples: Std Boxes 2.75-3.00.

MINNEAPOLIS: Street sales early Sat.) Grapefruit: Market Firm on Best Marsh US Comb: Std Boxes 2.15-2.40, Wire Boxes 1.90-2.30, US No. 2: Wire Boxes 1.75-2.25, Marsh Pink US Comb: Std Boxes 2.65-3.00, US No. 2: Wire Boxes 2.35-2.40.

Oranges: Market Steady Var. Varieties wire Boxes US Comb 2.90-3.00, US No. 2s 2.75.

VEGETABLES

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM OTHER TEXAS DISTRICTS FOR FRIDAY

Coastal Bend: Cabbage 25, Mixed Vegetabels 7, Beets 1, Spinnach 3, toatl 36 cars. Correction: for February 19th deduct Cabbage 1.

Laredo Dist: Beets and Carrots 1, bunched and clipped, Mixed Vegetables 5, total 6 cars.

Winter Garden: Carrots 5, Spinach 20, total 25 cars.

Eagle Pass: Spinach 29, total 29 cars.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR FRIDAY

Lower Rio Grande Valley:

Beets: Haulings moderate. Demand slow, market dull. Half crates, 3 dozen bunches, straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms; 65-75c; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track 60-65c. Top ice extra.

Carrots: Haulings moderate. Demand slow, market slightly weaker. Straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms: L. A. crates, 6 dozen bunches, $1.25-1.35, half crates 4 dozen bunches, 80-85c; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track, L. A. crates, $1.15-1.35, mostly around $1.25, half crates 70-80c, mostly 75c. Top ice extra. Paid growers mostly $15.00, few $17.50, per ton for truckloads delivered at packing sheds.

Eagle Pass and South Texas Points:

Spinach: Haulings moderate. Demand moderate, market steady. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: bushel baskets, Savoy type, 40-45c.

Rochester, N. Y. (Western and Central N. Y.):

Cabbage: Light wire inquiry. Demand light, market about steady. Carloads and truckloads f.o.b. usual terms and carloads and truckloads f.o.b. shipping point (based on delivered sales, less all transportation charges and truckloads f.o.b. cash at shipping point: sacked per ton, Danish type, few sales $36.00 to $40.00.

Lake Okeechobee Section, Florida:

Cabbage: Haulings very light. Demand fair, market about steady. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truckloads cash at packing houses: 1½ bushel hampers, domestic round type, $1.15-1.25; bulk per ton, $30.00 to $40.00.

Brawley, Calif.:

Carrots: Demand very light, market weak. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: L. A. crates, 6 dozen bunches, few sales, mostly $1.15, very few high as $1.35, occasional sale $1.05-1.10. Top ice extra. Few wire sales, few consigned. Some shipments rolled for delivered sales and some shipments on guaranteed advances. Some shipments rolled unsold. Inspections Thursday: 59% graded US No. 1a, 31% graded 90% US No. 1 quality, 10% graded below 90% US No. 1 quality.

COTTONSEED OIL

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Bleachable prime summer yellow 6.10A. Prime crude 5.37½N. March 6.00B, May 6.11B, July 6.22B, September 6.28B, October 6.30B.

BOSTON WOOL

BOSTON—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Offerings of spot domestic wools were very limited in the Boston market during the past week. Small quantities of fine combing Delaine fleeces were sold at 42-44 cents, in the grease. Occasional sales of graded three eighths and one quarter blood bright fleeces were reported at 43-45 cents, in the grease. Low one quarter blood combing Ohio wools were quoted nominally at 43-44 cents, in the grease, and common and braid wools at 42-43 cents, in the grease.

METALS

NEW YORK—(AP)—Copper steady; electrolytic spot, Conn. Valley 12.00; export, FAS NY, 10.50-12.00. Tin steady; spot and nearby $1.37½; forward $1.00. Lead steady; spot, New York 5.65-70; East St. Louis 5.50. Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and forward 7.25.

MIDDLING COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16ths inch cotton Saturday at ten designated southern spot markets was 1 point higher at 10.26 cents a pound; average for the past thirty market days 10.12 cents; middling 7-8ths inch average 10.05 cents a pound.

OKLAHOMA LIVESTOCK

OKLAHOMA CITY—(AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Cattle 100; calves 25; for the week: Slaughter classes steady; stockers and feeders firm; week's prices: medium to good grade steers 9.50-10.35; one load 10.50; common and medium grades 7.50-9.25; odd lots good to choice yearlings 10.50-11.00; good grades mostly 9.25-10.25; common to good heifers 7.00-10.25; bulk common to good beef cows 5.75-7.50; canners and cutters 4.00-5.75; bulls 7.60; vealer top 13.00; bulk 12.00 down; slaughter calves 6.50-10.00; quality yearling stockers 10.50; bulk 7.50-9.00.

Hogs 900; steady; bulk good and choice 170-270 lb butchers 7.25-50; packing sows 6.25-50; stags 6.00 down; stocker and feeder pigs 5.00-50.

Sheep none; for the week: fat lambs steady to strong; week's bulk good and choice wooled lambs 10.25-35; ewes 10.40; odd lots new crop lambs 10.75; fat ewes 3.50-5.25.

GOVERNMENT BONDS

NEW YORK—(AP)—Government bonds: Treasury.

3⅜	43-41	March 1	100.1
3⅜	47-43	4	107.4
4	54-44	3	113.16
4¼	52-47	1	110.23

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK—(AP)—

Stocks—irregular; price changes narrow.

Bonds—mixed; Japanes issues higher.

Foreign Exchange—quiet; generally unchanged.

Cotton—narrow; March liquidation, trade buying.

Sugar—higher; active switching operations.

Metals—quiet; tight zinc supply continues.

Wool Tops—inactive; business limited to switching.

CHICAGO—

Wheat—about steady; some profit taking.

Corn—easy; hedging sales.

Cattle—steady.

Hogs—steady; practical top $7.90.

By FREDERICK GARDNER

NEW YORK—(AP)—It was just the start of another month for the stock market Saturday and leading issues finished the week with mildly irregular price changes in dealings that were the slowest in six months.

Mail orders and specialties did fairly well while the buoyant utilities of the preceding session took a rest and steels, motors, aircrafts, coppers and rails were unable to record progress.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was off .1 of a point but on the week retained an advance of .7. The net decline for February amounted to .6. Transfers of 141,190 shares were the smallest for any session since August 24 last year.

The recent feeble recovery trend met opposition as Bulgaria signed up with the Axis.

Prominent stocks on the losing side Saturday included U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, General Motors, Westinghouse, Kennecott, United Aircraft, Douglas Aircraft, Santa Fe, Chesapeake & Ohio, Western Union, Consolidated Edison, American Water Works, Goodyear and Electric Power & Light.

Holding gains of fractions to a point or so were Fajardo Sugar, Texas Corp., Montgomery Ward, Sears Roebuck, U. S. Rubber, Du Pont, American Telephone, Pennsylvania, Great Western Sugar and Lehigh Valley Coal preferred.

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle salable 200, total 500. Calves salable and total 200. Saturday's trade nominal. Compared close last week: mature beef steers steady to weak, spots 25c higher, yearlings steady to 25c lower, cows 25c and more higher, bulls strong to 15c higher, slaughter calves fully 25c higher, stockers steady to 25c lower; top mature beef steers 11.00 few yearlings to 12.00 and club yearlings to 13.00; very few heifers above 10.50; practical top cows 7.50, odd head to 8.00; best heavy bulls 7.50; slaughter calves up to 10.50 vealers to 12.00; top stock steer calves 13.00, stock heifer calves 12.00; yearling stock steers 10.50, older feeder 10.00, stock cows 7.50.

Hogs salable 500, total 1,000. Steady to 10c higher than Friday's average; top 7.60, paid by shippers and interests; good and choice 180-300 lb 7.50 and 7.60; good 150 lb weights down to 6.75; pigs scarce; packing sows steady, 6.50 down. Compared with week ago, good butchers steady to 10c lower.

Sheep salable and total 300. Saturday's trade nominal. Compared with last week's close: Fat lambs mostly 25c higher; other classes steady; bulk fat lambs 9.50-10.25; top choice lambs 10.50; shorn lambs 7.50-8.35; wooled yearlings scarce at 8.50 down; shorn yearlings 7.75; wooled aged wethers 6.50 down; two-year-olds scarce; wooled feeder lambs 8.00-9.00, shorn feeder lambs mostly 6.25.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Salable hogs 300; total 8,800; good and choice hogs too scarce to test values; practical top quotable around 7.90; odd lots good light and medium weight hogs 7.50-75; shippers took none; holdover 500; compared week ago; market generally steady to strong on all weights barrows and gilts and on sows.

Salable cattle none; calves none; compared Friday last week: fed steers and yearlings weak to 25 lower, good to choice yearlings and yearling type light steers showing most decline; under sharply shridged receipts locally and at other leading trade centers market closed moderately active on local but dull on eastern shipper account; eastern dressed beef trade weakened late in week; largely fed steer and heifer run; latter class steady to weak; cows weak to 25 lower, active at close; bulls 25 off and vealers 1.00-1.25 lower; fat steers bulked at 9.25-12.50; very little above 13.00 although choice to prime 1172 lb steers topped at 14.85 with rest 1090 lb yearlings at 14.50 and 1031 lb kinds at 14.00; best heavies 13.75; very good 1500-1600 lb steers going at 12.00-12.75; bulkin gat 9.00-10.75; choice 1090 lb heifers topped at 12.25; with lights at 11.50; heavy cutter cows were selling rather freely up to 6.25 and heavy sausage bulls to 8.15 late in week when choice vealers had been pounded to 13.00, with 110-150 lbs at 10.00-12.50.

Salable sheep 1,000; total 3,500; late Friday light and handy weight fed lambs steady to strong, weightier and less desirable finished kinds slow, steady; top 11.20 sparingly; bulk good and choice light and handyweights 11.00-11.15; weightier adn less desirably finished kinds mostly 10.75-10.90, with extreme weights 10.50; fat sheep strong, two decks fed western ewes 6.60. Compared Friday last week: light and handy weight fat lambs steady to strong, weights above 100 lbs and kinds with less desirable finish weak to 25 lower; fat sheep 25-35 up; no feeding on shearing lambs offered; late top fed lambs 11.20; bulk good and choice light and handy weights 11.00-15; with 101-106 lb weights 10.75-10.90, and some with less finish and others weighing upward to 118 lbs 10.15-10.50; best fed western ewes 6.60, bulk 6.00-6.50, most fat natives 5.00-6.00.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Hogs salable and total 35, not enough offered to test values; market nominally steady; for week: weights 240 lbs down steady to 10 lower; heavier weights 10 to 15 higher; late top 7.55; packing sows steady.

Cattle, salable and total 150; calves, salable and total 75; for week: fed steers of average good to choice grades 15 to 25 lower; common to low good grades steady to strong; heifers steady to mostly 25 lower medium to good cows steady, lower grades cows and bulls 25 higher; vealers 50 lower; stocker and feeder prices mostly steady; week's tops: 921-lb heifers 11.85; choice 1101 lb steers 11.75; choice 1323 lb steers 11.60; vealers 12.50; light stockers 11.50; bulk fed steers 9.00-11.25; short fed heifers 9.25-10.25.

Sheep, salable none, total 500; for week: killing classes generally steady; closing top fed lambs 10.75; week's bulk good and choice fed lots 10.50-75 late sales clipped lambs 8.75-9.00; week's top 9.25; closing sales natives down from 10.50; good and choice slaughter ewes 5.25-75; shearing lambs 10.00-10.15.

TEXAS COTTON

DALLAS—(AP)—Cotton 10.03; Houston 10.19; Galveston 10.15.

Newcomers File

3 Seek Mayor's Job In San Juan

SAN JUAN — Three prominent businessmen and newcomers in the political field have filed for offices in the city election here on April 8.

Heading the ticket is A. E. Sharrer, president of Growers Supplies, Inc., and resident of San Juan for 20 years, will seek election as mayor. Dr. Earl Reed and F. C. Gordon, druggist, will be candidates for commissioners' berths.

Incumbent city officials, Mayor Walter C. Good and Commissioners W. G. Tice and Tom Lovett, have not yet indicated if they will seek re-election.

Students Stuff Box

GEORGETOWN, Ky. —(AP)— Students of Georgetown college had to hold their annual campus elections twice because, the student council announced, ballot boxes were "stuffed" in the first polling.

THE SUNDAY RADIO LOG

WLW (Cincinnati) MBS dial 700 WOAI (San Antonio) NBC dial 1190
KRGV (Weslaco) NBC dial 1260 KWKH (Shreveport) CBS dial 1100
KPRC (Houston) NBC dial 920 KTSA (San Antonio) CBS dial 550

7:00 a. m.
KRGV—News Roundup
KPRC—News Summary
KWKH—News
WLW—News
7:30 a. m.
KRGV—Tone Pictures
KPRC—Skypilot
WOAI—Gene and Glenn
KWKH—Concert Gems
WLW—Church Forum
8:00 a. m.
KRGV—News
KPRC—Europe News
KTSA—Europe News
WOAI—Europe News
KWKH—Europe News
WLW—News
8:30 a. m.
KRGV—Radio Chapel
KPRC—Gov. Lee O'Daniel
KTSA—Christian Science
WOAI—Lee Gordon's orch
KWKH—Wings Over Jordan
WLW—Children's Hour
9:00 a. m.
KRGV—Chuck Wagon Gang
KPRC—Early Choir
KTSA—Chuck Wagon Gang
WOAI—Early Choir
KWKH—Church of the Air
WLW—News
9:30 a. m.
KRGV—Real Estate Hour
KPRC—T. J Bettes
KTSA—Symphony
WOAI—Dr. P B. Hill
KWKH—Symphony
WLW—Southernaires
10:00 a. m.
KRGV—Real Estate Hour
KPRC—News
KTSA—News
WOAI—News
KWKH—News
WLW—Inside Radio
10:30 a. m.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Major Bowes
WOAI—Music and Youth
KWKH—Major Bowes
WLW—Thrasher Sisters
11:00 a. m.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Major Bowes
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—Cadle Tabernacle Choir
11:30 a. m.
KRGV—Music Hall
KTSA—Travis Park Church
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—A. M. Services
WLW—Western College Choir
12:00 Noon
KRGV—Radio City
KTSA—Church of the Air
WOAI—Sammy Kaye orch.
KWKH—Church of the Air
WLW—Music of the Masters
12:30

Screen Calendar NEWS OF LATEST MOTION PICTURES Current Films

Handsome Charles Boyer is co-starred with lovely Margaret Sullavan in the screen adaptation of Fannie Hurst's famed human drama "Back Street," which is currently featured Sunday and Monday at both the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen. Supporting roles in the film are played by Richard Carlson, Frank McHugh, Samuel S. Hinds and Tim Holt.

VALLEY SCREEN CALENDAR

CAPITOL THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Margaret Sullavan and Charles Boyer in "Back Street," with Richard Carlson, Tim Holt, Frank McHugh and Frank Jenks.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Carole Landis and Adolphe Menjou in "Road Show," with John Hubbard, Patsy Kelley, Charles Butterworth and Florence Bates.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Virginia Gilmore and Robert Young in "Western Union" with Randolph Scott and Dean Jagger. Filmed in Technicolor.

QUEEN THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY ONLY: Penny Singleton and Arthur Lake in "Blondie Plays Cupid" with Larry Simms
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Jean Harlow and eBn Lyon in Howard Hughes' "Hell's Angels" with Howard Hall.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Brenda Marshall and John Garfield in "East of the River," with Marjorie Rambeau and Bill Lundigan.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Ray Corrigan in "Trail of the Silver Spurs," with John King and Max Terhune.

RIVOLI THEATRE, SAN BENITO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Ida Lupino and Humphrey Bogart in "High Sierra," with Alan Curtis and Joan Leslie.
TUESDAY ONLY: Frank Morgan in "Keeping Company," with Ann Rutherford, John Shelton, Irene Rich and Virginia Weidler.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Betty Field and Frederic March in "Victory," with Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Jerome Cowan and Margaret Wycherly.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Ginger Rogers and Dennis Morgan in "Kitty Foyle," with James Craig, Eduardo Ciannelli, Ernest Cossart and Gladys Cooper.

ARCADIA THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Margaret Sullavan and Charles Boyer in "Back Street," with Richard Carlson, Tim Holt, Frank McHugh and Frank Jenks.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Carole Landis and Adolphe Menjou in "Road Show," with John Hubbard, Patsy Kelley, Charles Butterworth and Florence Bates.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Virginia Gilmore and Robert Young in "Western Union" with Randolph Scott and Dean Jagger. Filmed in Technicolor.

RIALTO THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Marjorie Weaver and Sidney Toler in "Murder Over New York" with Ricardo Cortez.
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Miriam Hopkins and Claude Rains in "The Lady with Red Hair," with Richard Ainly, John Litel and Laura Hope Crews.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Billie Burke and Frank Morgan in "Wild Man of Borneo" with Donald Meek and Mary Howard.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Tex Ritter in "Rollin' Home to Texas," with Slim Andrews.

STRAND THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Alice Faye and Betty Grable in "Tin Pan Alley," with John Payne, Jack Oakie, Allen Jenks and Esther Ralston.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Jeannette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in "Bittersweet," with George Sanders, Ian Hunter, Fay Holden and Janet Beecher. Filmed in color.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Peggy Moran and Franchot Tone in "Trail of the Vigilantes," with Broderick Crawford, Andy Devine and Warren William.
SATURDAY, SUNDAY: "Juan Pistolas" (Spanish Language Film).

RITZ THEATRE, WESLACO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Hedy Lamarr and James Stewart in "Come Live With Me," with Ian Hunter, Verree Teasdale and Donald Meek.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Bonnie Baker and Orrin Tucker "You're the One," with Albert Dekker, Edward Everett Horton and Lillian Cornell.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Joan Bennett and Louis Hayward in "Son Of Monte Cristo," with George Sanders, Florence Bates and James Seay.

GEM THEATRE, WESLACO

SUNDAY ONLY: Wendy Barrie and Richard Dix in "Men Against the Sky," with Edmund Lowe.
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Patricia Morison and Cesar Romero in "Romance of the Rio Grande" with Richard Cortez.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Betty Grable and Don Ameche in "Down Argentine Way," with Charlotte Greenwood.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: John King and Ray Corrigan in "Range Busters," with Max Terhune.

STATE THEATRE, MERCEDES

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Joan Bennett and Louis Hayward in "Son Of Monte Cristo," with George Sanders, Florence Bates and James Seay.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Betty Field and Fredric March in "Victory," with Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Jerome Cowan, Margaret Wycheraly and Fritz Field.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Bud Abbott and Lou Costello in "Buck Privates" with Lee Bowman, Alan Curtis, Nat Pendleton and the Andrews Sisters.

REX THEATRE, MERCEDES

SUNDAY ONLY: Virginia Dale and Wayne Morris in "The Quarterback."
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Betty Grable and Don Ameche in "Down Argentine Way," with Charlotte Greenwood.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Irene Rich and Charles Bickford in "Queen of the Yukon."
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Nell O'Day and Johnny Mack in "Boss of Bullion City," with Fuzzy Knight.

PALACE THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Hedy Lamarr and James Stewart in "Come Live With Me," with Ian Hunter, Verree Teasdale and Donald Meek.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Lou Costello and Bud Abbott in "Buck Privates," with Lee Bowman, Alan Curtis, Nat Pendleton and the Andrews Sisters.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Madeleine Carroll and Fred MacMurray in "Virginia," with Stirling Hayden, Helen Broderick. Filmed in color.

QUEEN THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Ann Dvorak and Lola Lane in "Girls of the Road."
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Mary Martin and Bing Crosby in "Rhythm on the River," with Basil Rathbone and Oscar Levant.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Louise Platt and Victor Mature in "Captain Caution," with Bruce Cabo., Leo Carrillo and Roscoe Bates.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Gene Autry in "Ridin' on a Rainbow," with Smiley Burnette, Mary Lee and Carol Adams.

Popular James Stewart and glamorous Hedy Lamarr are co-starred for the first time in the gay romance "Come Live With Me," which is currently showing Sunday and Monday at both the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and the Palace Theatre in McAllen. Featured roles are portrayed by Ian Hunter, Veree Teasdale and Donald Meek.

Current Films

PACKED with the same emotional dramatic elements which made the original novel so popular, the picturization of Fannie Hurst's "Back Street," starring Charles Boyer and Margaret Sullavan is one of the most outstanding pictures scheduled for March release.

In picture form "Back Street" contains everyone of the tense dramatic situations, emotional climaxes and vivid characterizations which made the novel a sensational best seller.

No better choice than Charles Boyer and Margaret Sullavan for the roles of Ray Smith and Walker Saxel could have been made, skilled, convincing and competent in the handling of emotional scenes, Boyer and Miss Sullavan deliver performances which have never been excelled. Featured supporting roles are played by Richard Carlson, Frank McHugh, Tim Holt and Samuel S. Hinds.

"Back Street" is booked for current showing today and Monday at both the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and the Capitol Theatre in Brownsvile.

POPULAR STARS SEEN IN NEW FILM

JAMES STEWART and Hedy Lamarr sharing romantic honors in "Come Live With Me" touches a high spot in screen entertainment.

No happier combination could have been found than the conservative and bashful Stewart plus the glamorous Lamarr in a story of an unkissed bride on a week end honeymoon with a bashful but romantic and loving husband.

The plot, briefly, tells the story of a beautiful Austrian refugee in the uncomfortable position of either getting married to an American citizen thus obtaining a quota number or being deported to her native Austria. By chance she meets Stewart, a young author and the two of them strike up a bargain. They are married, thus giving Lamarr her quota number and Stewart becomes her husband. Just how the plan works out and catches both parties in a hectic and amusing romance proves highly entertaining.

"Come Live With Me" is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and the Palace Theatre in McAllen.

BURNETT NOVEL IS DRAMATIC FILM

W. R. BURNETT'S dramatic story "High Sierra" which as a screen production stars Humphrey Bogart and Ida Lupino is a parodox. It is a gangster story that isn't a gangster story at all. Bogart carries a gun, an unsmiling face and a prison record all through the film, but he does not admit he is a criminal, as a matter of fact, he never does admit it. When asked he says he is a farmer. His role as termed by the author "the last of the Dillinger gang," gives Bogart his most outstanding screen role.

When the picture opens Bogart is already in prison, thinking things over he makes up his mind that he will spend the rest of his life as a simple farmer, living with the sky and the soil but by the time he decides to start back to the farm it is too late.

"High Sierra" is booked for current showing today and Monday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito.

DUMAS' DASHING ADVENTURER RETURNS

THE GLORY of fiction's greatest romance lives again in "The Son of Monte Cristo" as a gallant heir of a gallant father's daring and romantic adventures. Starring Louis Hayward, Joan Bennett and George Sanders, "The Son of Monte Cristo" is not only excellently and thrillingly staged it is acted by a cast of stars who were carefully chosen for their special talents.

"The Son of Monte Cristo" is booked for showing today and Monday at the State Theatre in Mercedes and at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Indians! Adventure! Spectacle! Thrills! Are all combined in the thrilling screen adaptation of Zane Grey's great story of America's push westward "Western Union," which is scheduled for showing Thursday, Friday and Saturday at both the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville. Starring roles in the film are played by Robert Young, Randolph Scott, Dean Jagger, Virginia Gilmore, John Carradine, Slim Summerville, Barton MacLane and a score of other favorites.

Ida Lupino and Humphrey Bogart are cast in the leading roles of the action-paced and thrill-packed "High Sierra," which is currently showing Sunday and Monday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito.

Ginger Rogers Tops As "Kitty Foyle"

Christopher Morley's popular and widely read novel "Kitty Foyle" is brought to life on the screen by personable and capable Ginger Rogers supported by Dennis Morgan and newcomer James Craig.

"Kitty Foyle" is scheduled for showing Friday and Saturday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito.

STATE MERCEDES
TODAY—MONDAY
Out of Adventure... came their love ...out of Danger came her throne!
Edward Small presents JOAN BENNETT LOUIS HAYWARD
The SON of MONTE CRISTO
Released thru United Artists

GEM WESLACO
SUNDAY ONLY
RICHARD DIX AS "MEN AGAINST THE SKY" WITH EDMUND LOWE

RITZ WESLACO
TODAY—MONDAY
James STEWART Hedy LAMARR "Come Live With Me"
An M-G-M Picture with Ian Hunter · Veree Teasdale

REX MERCEDES
SUNDAY ONLY
WAYNE MORRIS IN "THE QUARTERBACK" WITH VIRGINIA DALE

ARCADIA HARLINGEN
TODAY and MONDAY

CAPITOL BROWNSVILLE
TODAY and MONDAY
Two great stars together for the first time... in the great American love story of all time!
Charles BOYER Margaret SULLAVAN in BACK STREET by FANNIE HURST
ARCADIA SHORTS:
"WISE OLD OWL" CARTOON
UNUSUAL OCCUPATIONS
PARAMOUNT WORLD NEWS
CAPITOL SHORTS:
"PORKY'S HIRED HAND" Cartoon
PARAMOUNT PICTORIAL
LATEST WORLD NEWS

QUEEN BROWNSVILLE
SUNDAY ONLY
Penny SINGLETON IN "BLONDIE PLAYS CUPID" WITH ARTHUR LAKE

RIALTO HARLINGEN
SUNDAY ONLY
SIDNEY TOLER as CHARLIE CHAN IN "MURDER OVER NEW YORK" WITH RICARDO CORTEZ

STRAND HARLINGEN
SUNDAY—MONDAY
ALICE FAYE IN "TIN PAN ALLEY" WITH JACK OAKIE JOHN PAYNE

QUEEN McALLEN
SUNDAY ONLY
ANN DVORAK AS "GIRLS OF THE ROAD" WITH HELEN MACK LOLA LANE

PALACE McALLEN
TODAY MONDAY
Step right up, for the greatest opportunity of your LIFETIME —and LOVETIME!
James STEWART · Hedy LAMARR "Come Live With Me"
An M-G-M Picture with IAN HUNTER · VEREE TEASDALE
CLARENCE BROWN PRODUCTION
EXTRA: PORKY PIG in "Sour Puss Porky"
LATEST NEWS

RIVOLI SAN BENITO
TODAY MONDAY
MOLTEN MELODRAMA!
The Daring, Dramatic Story of the Last Stand of the Last PUBLIC ENEMY!
HIGH SIERRA
starring IDA LUPINO Humphrey BOGART with ALAN CURTIS JOAN LESLIE
EXTRA: DONALD DUCK in the new laugh-fest "TIMBER"
PARAMOUNT NEWS

COMING SOON ★ DEANNA DURBIN "NICE GIRL" ROBERT STACK ★ COMING SOON

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FRENCH BOG INDO-CHINESE PEACE PLANS

Jap Ultimatum Still Is Ignored

By The Associated Press

TOKYO—(Sunday)—The failure of the French ambassador to keep a scheduled appointment with the Japanese foreign minister prolonged today the crisis in Japan's mediation between French Indo-China and Thailand, made more acute by an expired ultimatum.

Foreign Minister Yosuke Matsuoka waited at his residence for six hours, from 4 until 10 p.m., last night, for Ambassador Charles Arsene Henry to keep an appointment which authoritative quarters had hinted might end in acceptance of Japan's final terms.

No Conference

But the conference did not occur, and observers said they believed this development indicated a French hope of postponing a showdown.

It was presumed Ambassador Henry had received last-minute instructions from the government at Vichy which at least postponed his anticipated talk with Matsuoka.

Consequently Japan still was not officially informed of Vichy's final decision despite authoritative hints, widely displayed in the press, that the French had agreed to the basic terms of Japan's compromise proposal, made in an ultimatum which expired at midnight Friday, Tokyo time.

Japanese Wary

Observers believed the Japanese were hesitant to resort to the "forceful action" which they had hinted would be applied, so long as a peaceful settlement appeared at all possible.

3 JAPANESE WARSHIPS JOIN SAIGON FLEET

SAIGON, French Indo-China—(AP)—Three Japanese warships steamed close to shore Saturday off Cap St. Jacques, 40 miles south of this south Indo-China city and added to the nervousness of officials tormented by conflicting rumors of Japanese intentions.

Arrival of the warships was regarded by observers as partial confirmation at least of reports that 51 ships of the Japanese navy were on patrol in nearby waters.

Union 'Fishing' At Orange Steel Plant

ORANGE—(AP)—A group of 50 American Federation of Labor pickets Saturday "went fishing" at the Consolidated Steel Corporation of Texas in Orange.

Surrounding the plant when it opened Saturday, the pickets explained they were not striking, but were merely "on a fishing trip."

"We can't get a contract signed so we are fishing to get one," a picket explained.

QUAKES ROCK NORTH GREECE

Heavy Death Toll Is Expected

By The Associated Press

ATHENS, Greece—Violent earthquakes shook northern Greece early Saturday and every available report indicated casualties were heavy.

Larisa, a city of 30,000, urgently telephoned Athens for tents for 15,000 persons and, since the people there and elsewhere were abed when the disturbances began, it was feared many had died.

Troop detachments tore at wreckage to rescue the imprisoned. Many of the city's streets were filled with debris. Telephone and telegraph buildings were among those damaged.

MAGNETIC DISTURBANCES DELAY EUROPEAN CABLES

NEW YORK—(AP)—Magnetic and atmospheric disturbances Saturday completely suspended for a time all wireless and cable communications with Europe and erratically disrupted domestic communications.

Wireless contact between New York and Europe was unsatisfactory throughout the morning but cables, after a 30-minute mid-morning fadeout, continued to operate with frequent lapses and slow transmission. South American circuits were also affected.

Pappy Urges Texans To 'Eat More Meat'

AUSTIN—(AP)—While people of war-torn Europe faced food rationing, Texans in contrast Saturday were urged to eat more and more.

Proclaiming the week of March 3-8 as "Eat-More-Meat" week, Governor W. Lee O'Daniel cited the state's "boundless resources and unlimited products" in asking citizens to join in the observance.

March In Like A Lion

Wind Velocity In Valley Reaches 26 MPH

HARLINGEN—March "came in like a lion," and no mistake, with wind velocity recorded as high as 26 miles per hour at the Brownsville airport weather station Saturday.

If the legend holds true that March will end its stay "quiet as a lamb" after coming in "like a lion," then the Valley can look for becalmed weather by the end of March.

However, the "lion" part of the deal will hold good for at least another day, U. S. weather bureaumen said Saturday night. The wind had dropped to 10 m.p.h. by 10 p.m. Saturday, with prediction Sunday would be considerably cloudy and probably as windy as Saturday.

Which means that the dust will continue to blow about as sprightly as if there had been no seven consecutive days of drizzling weather quite recently.

King Greets Winant

English Monarch Breaks Precedent To Meet New U. S. Envoy At Railroad Station

By The Associated Press

LONDON—King George VI swept stiff diplomatic formality aside Saturday and went halfway across England to greet the new United States ambassador to his court, John W. Winant, with a hearty handshake.

The meeting place was a windswept railroad platform between London and Bristol. Winant, the shaggy ex-governor of New Hampshire, landed at Bristol after flying across the Atlantic to his new post.

John C. Winant, new United States ambassador to England, arrived in London Saturday and staid conservatives were startled by King George's action in going halfway across his country to meet the new envoy.

With Winant came his assistant, Benjamin Cohen, and President James Bryant Conant of Harvard University, who is on a government mission to collect scientific information for American defense needs.

Spruce in the uniform of a field marshal, the king impulsively reached out and pumped first Winant's hand, then Cohen's.

"I am glad to welcome you," he said, warmly.

Having discarded protocol in seeking out the ambassador—the first time he ever had driven to the station to greet a new envoy—King George kept up the note of cordial informality by driving him home to tea with Queen Elizabeth.

The king's extraordinary gesture was regarded as reciprocation for President Roosevelt's reception of Lord Halifax, Britain's new ambassador to Washington last January 24, when Lord Halifax rode up Cheasapeake Bay aboard the British battleship King George V to take up his post. President Roosevelt drove to Annapolis and sailed out to the British battleship to greet the ambassador.

THOUSANDS AT TOT PARADE

20,000 See 4,500 Tots In Brownsville

(See Page 8 for Pictures)

BROWNSVILLE — Thousands of brilliantly costumed school children and their teachers transformed Brownsville into a scene of Pan American gaiety here Saturday afternoon for the fourth annual Charro Days children's parade, twice postponed because of bad weather.

Many more thousands jammed the line of march through downtown streets to witness the spectacle which saw Cameron county and Matamoros students combine forces in one of the biggest parades of its kind ever held here.

20,000 See Parade

According to John Fanning, chairman of the event, some 4500 children and teachers marched in the

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News Censor Means Is Flayed In House

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Minority members of the House expenditures committee, urging defeat of legislation to authorize an annual appropriation of $1,500,000 for the office of government reports, contended Saturday that the office would be a vehicle for imposition of censorship on news.

Wales Raid Defense Now Much Improved

LONDON—(AP)—Air Minister Sir Archibald Sinclair said Saturday Wales now is defended against German bombers by eight times as many anti-aircraft guns and 15 times as many balloons as there were eight months ago.

He said that Wales was "open and almost defenseless to attack" when the Germans obtained their French coastal bases in June.

Italy Warns Swiss

ROME —(AP)— La[illegible]

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Glass Is Criticized For Request To FBI

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Senator Glass (D-Va) was criticized and defended in the Senate Saturday for asking the Federal Bureau of Investigation to check up on a group of women opposed to the British-aid bill.

Senator Clark (D-Mo), an opponent of the bill, declared that the "right of petition won't last long if Senator Glass asks the FBI to investigate every petitioner."

Aged Woman Dies

MT. PLEASANT—(AP)—Mrs. N. I. Brewer, who six years ago at the age of 95, remarked that she wanted to pass the century mark, died Saturday at the age of 101.

Business Better

Reserve Bank Issues Annual Review

DALLAS —(AP)— Continued improvement in Texas and southwestern business conditions was indicated in the Federal Reserve Bank's business review issued here Saturday.

Steadily soaring retail and wholesale sales and a favorable outlook for agriculture and livestock were reflected in the review for the eleventh district covering Texas, Southeast Oklahoma, southern half of New Mexico, northern half of Louisiana and Southeast Arizona.

The bank's index for department store sales rose from 116 per cent of the 1923-25 average in December to 126 per cent in January. Dollar value of sales in January was 14 per cent greater than a year earlier.

MERGING OF BRITISH, U.S. FLEETS HINTED

Lease-Lend Bill Foes Say FD Can Do It

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Foes of the lease lend bill insisted in the Senate Saturday that despite restrictive provisions President Roosevelt could "give" any portion of the navy to the British, and, moreover, could consolidate the American and British fleets.

With these statements, they coupled an attack on William C. Bullitt, former ambassador to France, for, they said, making propaganda speeches in this country, and for asserting in a recent address that the opponents of the bill were suffering from "political dementia praecox."

Raps Bullitt

"Of course, Mr. Bullitt ought to know," said Senator Wheeler (D-Mont). "I (he stressed the "I") have never been under observation. I have never been in a hospital for the treatment of nervous diseases. Those who have, of course, ought to know about political and other kinds of dementia praecox."

Wheeler took the floor at the outset of the session to continue a long prepared speech he began Friday. Several Senators, Lucas (D-Ill), Tunnell (D-Del), and Smaterhs (D-NJ), also had prepared speeches.

Administration leaders, concerned over the continued lengthy speech-making, talked among themselves, meanwhile, of longer sessions next week in an effort to speed a final vote.

Less than half the Senate seats were occupied, but the galleries were jammed.

Wheeler began by referring to argument which arose Friday, over the bill's provision that existing defense articles to a maximum value of $1,300,000 only could be transferred to Great Britain or other nations. He had contended that by placing arbitrary valuations on naval vessels Mr. Roosevelt could transfer as much of the fleet as he chose to England. Proponents of the bill, particularly, Chairman George of the Senate Foreign Relations committee, had replied that "value" was "value" and definitely limited the extent of such transfers.

Values Confusing

Returning to the argument, Wheeler read from the "corpus juris" a passage that said value was determined by many considerations. It could be market value, use value, sentimental value, or any one of several such things.

It was unfair to the president, he said, to give him the power involved without laying down, simultaneously, criteria for the interpretation of the word "value."

Senator Taft (R-Ohio) had brought up the question of consolidating the American and British fleets.

J. M. JETTON FATALLY SHOT

Ex-Hidalgo Jailer Dies At Corpus

CORPUS CHRISTI—(AP)—J. M. (Scotty) Jetton, 63, guard for a major oil company was killed and Phillip Trammell, 40, ranch hand, was wounded seriously in a mysterious shooting at Jetton's home Friday night.

The shooting was not discovered until Saturday.

Nueces and Kleberg county officers investigated.

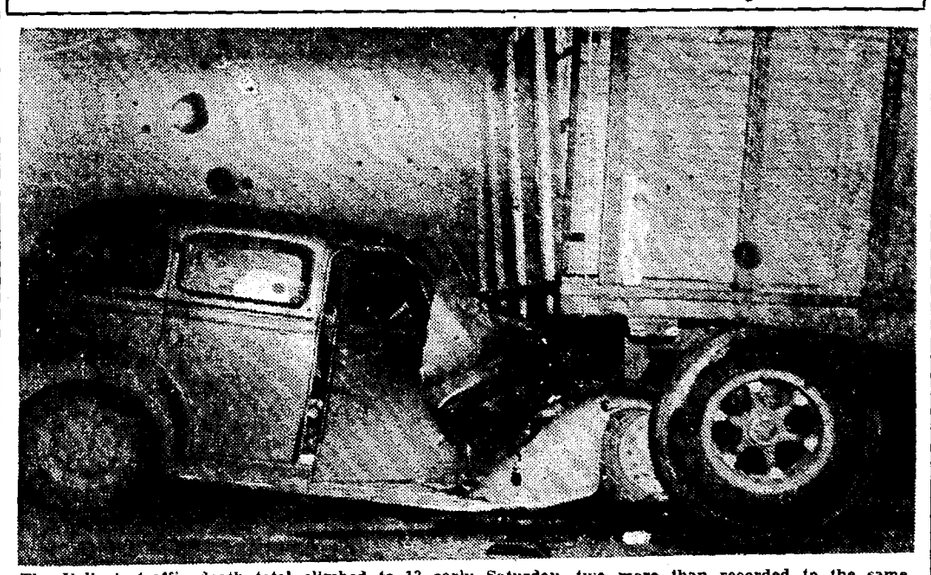
Jetton once was a deputy and jailer under the late Sheriff A. Y. Baker of Hidalgo county.

Funeral services will be held at the Kreidler Chapel at Edinburg at 4 p.m. Sunday, with Rev. E. P. Day, Presbyterian pastor there, officiating. Interment will be in the Edinburg cemetery.

US Takes Over Bases

HAMILTON, Bermuda—(AP)—The stars and stripes were hoisted over Tucker's and Morgan's islands by U. S. Marines Saturday in formally taking over sites of New American defense bases.

Death At Dawn On Highway 281



The Valley's traffic death total climbed to 13 early Saturday, two more than recorded to the same date in 1940, the section's record year for highway slaughter. In the picture above, the sedan driven by Herman F. Johns, 42, of Mission, is shown after it crashed into the rear of a parked truck, heavily laden with citrus. Johns' wife was killed instantly and Johns was seriously injured in the collision, which occurred about 5:30 a. m. Saturday some five miles north of Edinburg. (Photo by Brad Smith.) (See another picture on page 2.)

TOURISTS SET FOR ROUNDUP

Harlingen Host To Valley Event

(See Picture on Page 2)

HARLINGEN — The Harlingen Tourist Club Round-Up, a day of pleasure for tourists all over the Valley, will be staged here Monday, beginning with a shuffleboard tournament at 10 a.m., Mrs. Walter Murray, Harlingen tourist hostess, announced here Saturday. Mrs. Frank G. Middleton of Casey, Ill., is general chairman for the Round-Up.

Following the shuffleboard tournament, lunch will be served at the Madison coffee shop, Mrs. Murray said, to be followed at 2 p.m., by 42, bridge and 500 tournaments.

Dinner-Dance Planned

The Round-Up, for which a large number of reservations have already been received from tourists all over the Valley, will be concluded with a diner dance in the Madison Hotel Green Room, beginning at 6:30 p.m. A diner hour program will also be given. The dance begins at 9 p.m., with the Tip O Texans furnishing the music. Prizes will be given the tournament winners with no entry fee charged.

The Round-Up, sponsored by the Harlingen Tourist Club, is being handled with the following committees in charge:

Shuffleboard: W. R. Johnson of Perry, Iowa; W. R. Broaddus of Blue Springs, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wilson of Ottawa, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gilliam of Waco, Texas.

Bridge committee: Mrs. C. W. Evans of Abbyville, Kan.; Mrs. George W. Hornsby of Evansville, Ind. The bridge tournament will be in charge of Mrs. R. R. Van Dusen of Evansville, Ind.

The 42 committee will be B. F. Bennett and G. C. Davis, both of Amarillo, Texas. Mrs. E. G. Wills of Springfield, Mo. will be in charge of the 500 tournament.

The refreshment committee includes Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Broaddus of Blue Springs, Mo.; Mrs. Norman L. Poland of Lewistown, Mont.; Mrs. Flora Black of Reinbeck, Iowa; and Mrs. Elizabeth Bidwell of Niles, Mich.

On the decorations committee are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Seedle of Havens, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Marshall of Wichita, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Langdon of Wilmette, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Cheeney of Winchendon, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith of Wankesha, Wis.; Miss Mary Jane Meisel of Ottawa, Iowa; and Floyd Ferris of Guttenberg, Iowa.

British Take 9,000

CAIRO, Egypt—(AP)—The capture of an aggregate thus far of 9,000 Fascist troops in Italian Somaliland and a further British thrust up the Juba to occupy Bardera, 190 miles from the river's mouth, was announced Saturday by British general headquarters.

Valley Woman Killed As Car Strikes Parked Truck

Mrs. Herman F. Johns, 36, Mission, Instantly Killed And Husband Critically Hurt

EDINBURG—Funeral services for Mrs. Herman F. Johns, 36, of Mission, who was killed about 5:30 a.m. Saturday when the car in which she was riding was in collision with a tractor-and-trailer truck north of here, will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday. The services will be conducted by Rev. A. T. Dyal of the Presbyterian Church at Mission, in the Kreidler Chapel in that city. Interment will be in the Mission cemetery under auspices of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. Johns was killed instantly, and her 42-year-old husband, who was driving was seriously injured, when their car crashed into the rear end of the big truck parked on the highway.

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Negligent homicide charge was filed against G. C. Shortes, 34, Robstown, owner and driver of truck. Johns was taken to County-City Hospital here in a Skinner ambulance, called by Dair Baldridge, Edinburg, who arrived at the scene an hour after the crash, on his way to San Antonio.

Ross said the truck was loaded with citrus. Headed north, the driver left it on the pavement, set out flares and went back to Edinburg to get a wheel to replace one with a flat tire, Ross said. The Johns car, running into the rear of the parked truck, was telescoped, the car being wedged up to the windshield beneath the baseboard of the truck. Johns sustained severe chest injuries and bruises and lacerations about the head and body.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Johns is survived by three children, Mrs. Wallace Bohannon of Mission, Marjorie Johns and Herman F. Johns, Jr., of Mission; and her parents of Floresville.

Mrs. Johns was the 13th Valley traffic victim for 1941 and the fourth killed in less than a week.

Greeks Confident If Germany Aids Italy

BITOLJ, Yugoslavia —(AP)— The Greek army will be able to hold out even should Nazi troops aid Italy against the Greeks in Albania, Greek sources in this border city declared Saturday night.

With German forces one country nearer the Albanian battle front through occupation of Bulgaria, these sources maintained that the Nazi mechanized equipment was unsuitable for a quick offensive and that the terrain would prevent the mass employment of troops.

Storms Kill 23

Blizzards And Cold Sweep Nation

By The Associated Press

Towering snowpiles lined slippery highways in the middle Atlantic states Saturday night in the wake of a blizzard that took at least 23 lives and extended over 1,000-mile front. Clearing skies brought a forecast of continued cold weather.

Along the west coast, an extensive magnetic storm followed gales and torrential rains that struck simultaneously with the eastern snow storm, and disrupted wireless communications over the Pacific ocean.

Generally fair but unseasonably cold weather extended into the deep south, dropping the mercury to 44 at Miami, while the middle-west enjoyed balmy weather with temperatures as high as 62 in Nebraska and Iowa.

4 KILLED IN TRAIN CRASH

Oklahoma Crossing Scene Of Tragedy

CHELSEA, Okla. —(AP)— The Firefly, fast-traveling Frisco passenger train, struck an automobile at a downtown crossing Saturday, killing four of its occupants outright and sending another to a hospital with critical injuries.

The dead were Theodore Smart, 32, cattle farmer; his 16-year-old bride of three days; Billie Johnson, 6, and Montgomery Johnson, 4. Smart's mother, Mrs. W. I. Smart, 70, was reported at the point of death in a Vinita hospital.

Highway Patrolman Jack Rollins said Smart's car, a rattly sedan of 1929 vintage, was driven onto the tracks directly into the path of the Firefly, which was traveling between 65 and 70 miles an hour.

The collision, witnessed by several persons, hurled the old car 50 feet through the air, leaving its parts strewed up and down the right-of-way for a hundred yards.

The Smarts, who were married Wednesday, had come to Chelsea from Catale, six miles north of here, to do their Saturday shopping, friends reported. The two boys, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Johnson of Catale and grand children of Mrs. W. I. Smart, had come with them for the trip.

Two Are Injured In Crash Near Bridge

HARLINGEN—Ben Jordan and Miss Tullis Sacda, both of Harlingen, were treated at Valley Baptist Hospital Saturday night for injuries received when the car in which they were riding was in collision about 11:30 p.m. with a bus just south of the Arroyo bridge. They were brought to the hospital by K. A. Carson of Fort Brown, a passing motorist. Jordan was given emergency treatment for a slight head injury and dismissed, while Miss Sacda remained in the hospital overnight so that full extent of her injuries could be determined. She sustained a number of bruises.

Front ends of both car and bus were damaged. Another bus had to be sent out to tow the damaged vehicle.

In another accident, also occurring about 11:30 p.m. Saturday, a Harlingen Ice Co. truck was damaged at intersection of Buchanan Ave. and F Street in Harlingen. The driver told officers another truck ran into him, then was driven off rapidly.

Ex-Governor Dies

MADISONVILLE, Ky.—(AP)—Ruby Laffoon, who created thousands of "Kentucky colonels" while he was governor of Kentucky from 1931 to 1935, died at 2:50 a.m. (CST) Saturday after a long illness. He suffered a paralytic stroke last week.

BULGARIA IN AXIS, ORDERS 'BLACKOUTS'

Fears Retaliation From Britain

SKOPLJE, Yugoslavia —(AP)— Three Yugoslav pursuit planes forced down a three-engined German Junkers bomber which appeared over this city Saturday afternoon with a full bomb load.

"We thought we were over Sofia," said one of the six German non-commissioned officers who were seized and interned.

This city is 120 miles southwest of Sofia, the Bulgarian capital which the Germans occupied Saturday.

By The Associated Press

Fearing retaliatory British bombs, little Bulgaria was blacked out completely Saturday night and early Sunday after joining the Axis and allowing German troops to enter her country—the eleventh to be dominated by Germany in three years.

Bulgarian authorities also feared internal revolt against the Germans—as evidenced by the issuance of carbines to all policemen, the mobilization of the army on all frontiers, and the arrests of would-be agitators.

Frontiers Closed

More anti-aircraft batteries were mounted atop Sofia buildings, and frontiers were closed.

British Minister George Rendel scheduled a meeting with King Boris for Sunday possibly a prelude to a British break with Bulgaria. He already had warned Bulgaria against admitting German troops. British bombers based in Crete are only a few hours' flight from Sofia.

Nazi Foreign Minister Ribbentrop in welcoming Bulgaria into the Axis at ceremonies Saturday in Vienna said:

"The Axis armies are drawn up, ready for action, to grab and strike England wherever she shows herself. . . . The states represented here today are on watch and ready to make their contribution to the final triumph of our common cause."

May "Force Peace"

He also said he hoped the total weight of the Axis powers would bring Britain "to her senses" and forceher to seek peace.

General Bulgarian mobilization also sent Bulgarian troops marching to the Turkish frontier.

Nazi military occupation immediately raised grave questions as to the future of Greece in her war with Italy, of Turkey's future under her alliance with Britain, of the latter's attitude toward Bulgaria, and of Yugoslavia's ability to continue sitting on the fence as a strictly neutral nation.

In the west, the luftwaffe kept up its raids on London, striking at the

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FOUR YOUTHS HELD GUILTY

May Die For Attack On Aged Grocer

SAN FRANCISCO —(AP)— Four sullen youths were convicted Saturday of beating an elderly grocer to death in a $53 robbery, and unless an appeal is successful they must stand execution by gas.

The verdict, with no recommendation for leniency, was returned by a jury of ten men and two women. There was no sign of nervousness on the faces of the four.

As they were handcuffed and led away, one turned to another and said "It seems that the boys and girls gave us the works."

The four were Delmar Arnold, 23; Brazen Hoyt, 22; Arthur Frazier, 22; and Silvio Tosi, 20. All except Tosi had prior convictions.

The victim of the brutal blackjack slaying last fall was David Ferrari. Several months later the gang was rounded up.

1941 Auto License Tags Now Permitted

HARLINGEN — None was noticed by observers here, but Saturday Texas motorists were for the first time permitted to attach their shiny new 1941 license plates to their automobiles.

All this month autoists can use the plates while from April 1 on, they must use them. The passenger car license tags this year are black with the numbers in gold. Commercial tags are the reverse, having black numbers on gold background.

Civic Music Drive Launched Monday

Jascha Heifetz Signed Up For Next Season; Symphony Slated Soon

HARLINGEN—The Rio Grande Valley Citrus Music Association will open its annual membership campaign over the Valley Monday, inaugurating the drive with a kick-off dinner at the Reese-Wilmond Hotel on Monday evening.

New members of the association will obtain free admission to the final concert of the current season, the presentation at Harlingen city auditorium March 27, of the 77-piece Houston Symphony Orchestra. (See picture on page 3).

Headquarters for the drive, for which chairmen have been named in every Valley city, will be in the Rio Grande National building here, with Mrs. Henry Carlisle, executive secretary, in charge of the office. Advance renewals of old memberships has been very good, Grafton Burdette, association president, reports.

Jascha Heifetz, regarded as the world's great violinist, will be presented during the Valley association's 1941 concert season, it was announced here Saturday.

Other artists for the five-concert series will be announced as definite bookings are arranged.

Season memberships will be sold only during the week of March 3-8, the association has announced. No single concert tickets will be sold Valleyites.

The association numbered approximately 1200 members for the current season. Higher number will be sought this season, with membership of 1800 the ultimate goal.

BULGARIA IN AXIS, ORDERS 'BLACKOUTS'

Fears Retaliation From British

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British capital three times after nightfall and raiding a south coast town.

Nazis In Sofia

By nightfall the Nazis had taken over the capital, Sofia, and the strategic Black Sea port of Varna, making it possible for the British to make good their threat of bombing troops and communications once Bulgaria was occupied.

The departure of the British minister, George W. Rendel, from Sofia was expected hourly. The legation waited for word from London as Nazi troops on foot and in road cars moved past the legation.

Rendel obtained an early evening audience with King Boris and was expected by members of his staff to notify the monarch that the Nazi occupation left Britain no choice but to break off relations with Bulgaria.

Signed In Vienna

The pact which put Bulgaria into the Axis alliance was signed in Belvedere Palace, Vienna, in a seven-minute ceremony witnessed by Hitler himself. Bulgaria's premier, Bogdan Philoff, signed for his country. Others present were German Foreign Minister Joachim Von Ribbentrop, Lieut. Gen. Hiroshi Oshima, Japanese ambassador to Germany, and Count Galeazzo Ciano, Italian foreign minister.

More Mental Cases Foreseen In U.S. As War, Draft Results

COLUMBIA, S. C. —(AP) —Apprehension over the selective service act and the "war scare" in general inevitably will cause more mentally-unstable individuals to be committed to hospitals, Supt. C. Fred Williams of the South Carolina Mental Hospital believes.

President of the American Psychiatric Association in 1933-34, Dr. Williams points out that "worry, anxiety and apprehension are partly responsible for mental disorder," observing:

"I don't think there's any question but that the unstable individual gives way under stress and strain such as some would feel from the war scare.

"Many of the so-called shell-shocked men cracked under the strain of the first World War. They were what we call unstable."

Dr. Williams anticipates an increase next year at the hospital, explaining that in "good times" the institution is not called upon to take care of as many people as in "bad times" when stress and strain are greater.

Shortage Of Nurses Seen By Red Cross

DALLAS —(AP)— A shortage of graduate nurses and young physicians due to defense demands has resulted in a request by the American Red Cross that nursing schools increase their enrollment approximately 14 per cent, Alden B. Mills of Chicago, managing editor of the Modern Hospital Publishing Company, told members of the Texas Hospital Association Saturday.

Draft Finds Recruit With Perfect Teeth

WORCESTER, Mass.—(AP)—Mario Matos, 22, a Framingham foundry worker, made the doctors and army men at the Lamartine street induction center sit up and gaze with amazement Saturday—he had all his 32 teeth and every one was perfect.

Dr. A. A. Rafferty, dental examiner, said it was the first such case he had seen in 22 years of practice. Twelve properly placed teeth are all that are required to get by the induction board.

'Hunter's Home' Is Razed For Timbers

PORTLAND —(AP)— "Hunters' Home," a rooming house known to thousands of hunters from throughout the nation who have tried their sights at nearby Gum Hollow, is no more.

Erected in 1891 when Portland was laid out, it served as a business house for several years until Mrs. M. A. Smith remodeled it into a sportsman's hotel.

Mrs. May DeMouche, Mrs. Smith's daughter, is razing the building to provide lumber for other buildings.

Democratic Pullet

SHERMAN —(AP)— E. E. Johnson of Sherman has a pullet that's a died-in-the-feathers Democrat.

For a month before the election she laid an egg every day. Then when all loyal vote-her-straighters were balloting, she didn't function. But the next day she made up for lost time, laying an egg eight inches in circumference the long way and six inches the other way.

House Full Of Ice Greets New Yorker On Return Home

OGDENSBURG, N. Y.—(AP)—Away from the city all winter Frank Maloney returned to find his home turned into an ice house.

Someone had failed to turn off the water and his cellar was filled with 10 feet of ice, the parlor, kitchen and bedroom with four feet.

In addition, the doors were stuck tight and the house had been lifted several inches off its foundation by expansion of the ice.

Hidalgo Accident Victim

Mrs. Herman F. Johns, 36, of Mission, was unlucky 13 early Saturday, as the Valley's 1941 traffic toll continued to mount. Body of the well-known Mission matron is shown still slumped in the seat of her badly smashed sedan, after the car had crashed into the rear of a huge truck a few miles north of Edinburg. Some of the citrus from the loaded truck can be seen lying in the seat and on the running board of the sedan. (See related photo on page 1.) (Photo by Brad Smith.)

SKIRT—Ballet-skirted Greek mountaineer soldiers such as this one proved fiercest fighters in war with Italians. He belongs to the evzone, a select corps in Greek army.

Castelrosso Island Regained By Italy From British Force

ROME—(AP)—The high command said Saturday that Italian reinforcements landed from torpedo boats, regained possession Friday of the island of Castelrosso from British who seized it Tuesday.

(The British announced in London Friday night that their forces had withdrawn from the island—one of the Dodecanese in the Eastern Mediterranean—after the troops "accomplished their object.")

Ex-Hardin-Simmons President Honored

ABILEN E—(AP)— A $300,000 campaign to honor the memory of Dr. J. D. Sandefer, former Hardin-Simmons University president, will be launched in the near future by the University and its ex-students.

General chairman of the campaign will be Dr. Fred C. Eastham, pastor of the First Baptist church in Wichita Falls, an ex-student. A building program, including a new library-auditorium and administrative offices, is planned as a major campaign objective.

MRS. JOHNSON BETTER

RAYMONDVILLE — Mrs. C. R. Johnson who underwent major surgery at the Edgewater Hospital in Chicago recently will be removed to her hotel this week.

Mrs. Jacqueline Parker, her sister, will remain with her through the six weeks necessary for her recuperation.

TO PRESENT PLAY

BROWNSVILLE—The senior class of Villa Maria school will present a play entitled "Sinister House," written by Tom Taggart, at the Brownsville junior college auditorium on April 30.

Briefly Told

GUESTS DEPART

SANTA ROSA—Mrs. Clarence Almoney, of White Hall, Md., Mrs. Martin Mundof of Broguerille, Penn., and Mrs. Etta Miller of Red Lion, Penn., Mr. and Mrs. John Marsteller, and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Marsteller, and their daughter, Patsy, of Red Lion, Penn., after two weeks visit with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Trout, left for their respective homes on Tuesday of this week.

SON IS VISITING

SAN JUAN—Lloyd M. Whitlock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd M. Whitlock, Stewart road, returned Friday morning from San Diego, Calif., having completed his four years in the U. S. Navy service. He intends to remain at home for 90 days, pending further plans in the service.

END VALLEY STAY

McALLEN—Miss Belle McNear of San Antonio and George Durkee of Omaha, Nebr., who have been visiting Mrs. A. J. McColl, left Saturday to return to their respective homes.

RINCON HEARING SET

HARLINGEN—Hearing has been set for March 11 by the State Railroad Commission, on field rules for the Rincon field in Starr county, according to Associated Press dispatch from Austin.

IS OPERATED

MISSION—Rev. E. R. McWilliams returned late Monday from Temple where he had been the past ten days with Mrs. McWilliams who was operated on there last week. Mrs. McWilliams is recovering rapidly and will be able to return possibly late next week, he reported.

SPENDS WEEKEND

PHARR—A. J. Flowers of San Antonio, spent the week end here visiting his wife and children, returning to San Antonio, late Sunday.

DISMISSED FROM HOSPITAL

LA VILLA—Mrs. John D. George who recently was removed from the Mercedes General Hospital, to her home is reported to be convalescing nicely from an operation.

VISITS PARENTS

PHARR—Miss Ella Beth Melton, student at A. and I. College at Kingsville, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley T. Melton.

CLUB WILL MEET

RANGERVILLE—The Booster's Club of Rangerville will hold their next meeting on Friday, March 7, at 8:00 p.m. The program will be in charge of Randell Arnold.

FROM WYOMING

SAN JUAN — Sheriff and Mrs. Harold DeWitt of Torrington, Wyoming, arrived Thursday for a visit in the home of Mrs. J. W. Cameron and Mrs. J. T. Burton.

MOTHER, SON RETURN

SNTA ROSA—Mrs. H. M. Little and son, Milton, who have been visiting relatives in Weimar, Columbus, La Grange and Floresville have returned home.

WHITAKERS RETURN

PHARR — Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Whitaker returned Wednesday to make their home, following several months stay in San Antonio and Corpus Christi.

NEW MANAGER

ALAMO—Mrs. Ralph Tolles has taken over the management of the cafeteria at the Alamo grammar school starting this week.

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MUSICIAN OF NOTE VISITS

Carlos Chavez Pauses In Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE—Carlos Chavez, internationally famous composer, for some years director of the National Symphony Orchestra of Mexico, will pass through Brownsville by plane Sunday en route to New York where he has engagements as guest director of the best known symphony orchestras in this country.

Mr. Chavez, who is also an author of a number of books on music, is a brother of Engineer Eduardo Chavez of Matamoros, who is in charge of the flood control and irrigation works now being built along the border by Mexican government.

Guest Conductor

The famous musician will spend about two months in the United States as guest conductor of a number of famous orchestras, including the New York Philharmonic, the Philadelphia Symphony, the Chicago orchestra and several others, during the current season.

Mr. Chavez last year was guest conductor of the Philadelphia Symphony and won the highest praise of American critics as well as of the famed director of the Philadelphia orchestra, Leopoldo Stokowski. He has also conducted some of the most important symphony orchestras in Europe.

Following his tour in the United States, Mr. Chavez will leave for South America where he will appear as guest director of the leading orchestras on that continent.

As head of the National Symphony of Mexico, Mr. Chavez has built up an organization which is ranked among the best by critics everywhere. He has brought a number of world-famous conductors to the Mexican capital, as well as some of the best known soloists to perform with his orchestra.

Pioneer In Music

Mr. Chavez was for some time head of the fine arts department of the Federal Department of Education in Mexico and during that time laid the groundwork for important activities in the fields of music, the drama and the dance.

Several of his symphonies and ballet compositions have been performed by the leading orchestras in the United States, and he ranks as No. 1 among Mexican composers and one of the major creative music writers in the Western Hemisphere.

Mr. Chavez' work in the field of music is comparable in some respects to that of Diego Rivera in painting, particularly in his utilization of the native themes and Mexican background for his work.

One of the important activities of the Symphony Orchestra of Mexico has been to stimulate interest in good music and to acquaint the public with the world-famed classics in concerts performed without cost for audiences of labor union members and their families.

Medical Researches Find Heart Wounds Not Always Killing

WASHINGTON —(AP)— A wounded heart is not always fatal.

In a report in the journal of the District of Columbia medical society, Dr. I. A. Bigger, professor of surgery at the Medical College of Virginia, Richmond, reports that the lives of 17 out of 26 persons with stab wounds directly into the heart had been saved by prompt medical and surgical attention.

The heart is practically the toughest of human muscles, he declared, and even if it is badly cut or punctured by a bullet it will often keep beating while a clot forms to stop the flow of blood. If such cases are properly diagnosed and treated according to the severity of the injury many, if not a majority, can be saved.

Refuse Dump Blooms

NEW YORK —(AP)— Riker's Island, once called the largest refuse dump in the United States, is to become a garden spot. The New York park department has taken over a 50-acre tract for a tree nursery and expects it to yield 25,000 trees annually. Work is being done by short-term inmates of the Riker's Island prison.

G. H. PERKINS GOES

BROWNSVILLE—George H. Perkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Perkins of this city, left this week to join United States army forces in San Antonio.

He is 19 years of age and volunteered for three years' service with the U. S. army in the Philippine Islands.

RETURN TO HOUSTON

RAYMONDVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holloway left for their home in Houston after a brief visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Holloway.

Frank Holloway is announcer over KXYZ in Houston.

ON BUSINESS TRIP

DONNA—Walter G. Weaver and Walter G. Weaver, Jr., spent Wednesday and Thursday upstate on legal business.

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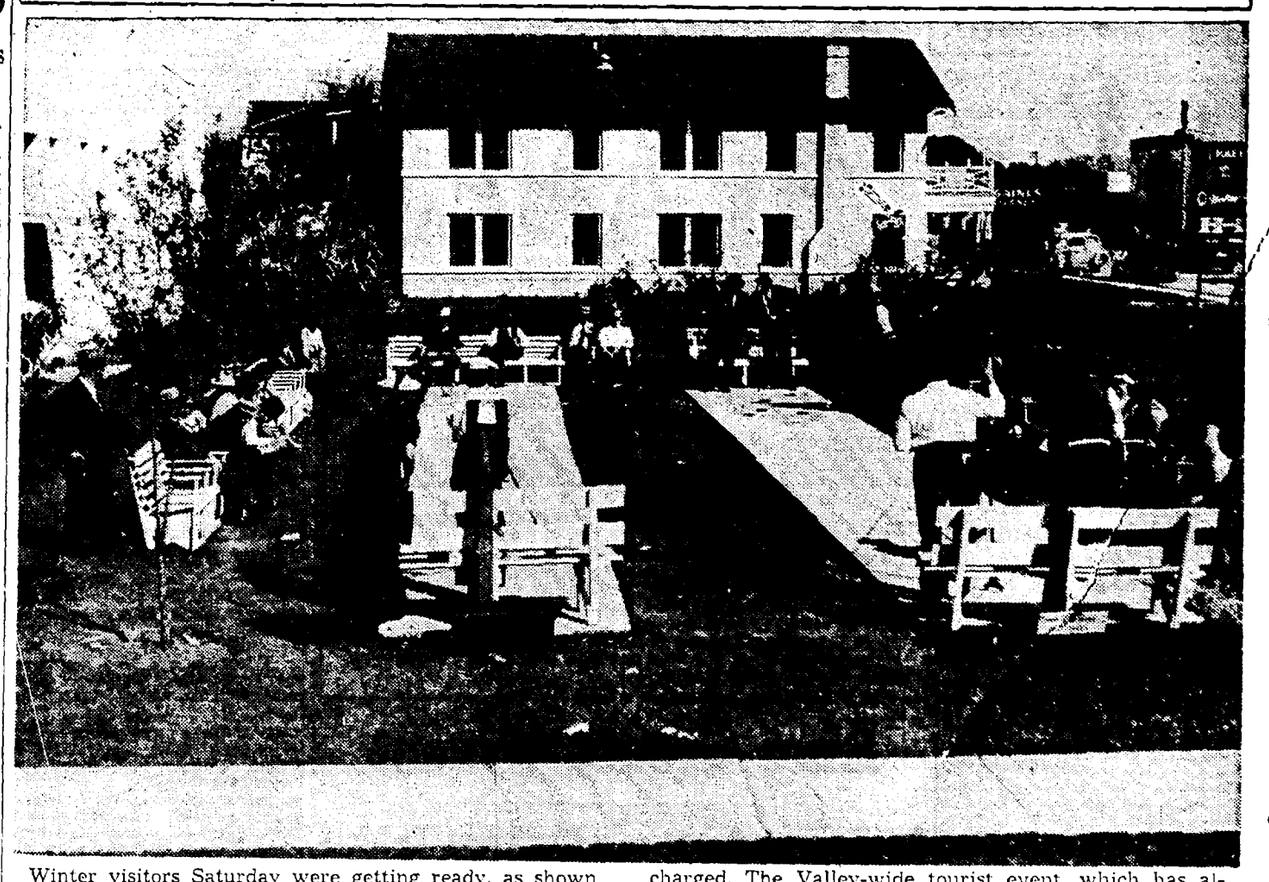
Practicing For Big Shuffleboard Tournament



Winter visitors Saturday were getting ready, as shown above, for the shuffleboard tournament which will be a feature of Monday's big Tourist Round-Up, to be staged in Harlingen. The shuffleboard event will start the day's activities at 10 a. m. Monday, prizes being offered in each type of competition. No entry fee is charged. The Valley-wide tourist event, which has already drawn many reservation, is being sponsored by the Harlingen Tourist Club. Other events include 42, bridge, and 500 tournaments, with the day of fun being concluded with a dinner dance at the Madison Hotel. (Staff Photo.)

OBITUARY

MRS VIOLETTE DALTON

LA FERIA — Last rites will be held at the First Presbyterian church here Sunday at 3 p.m. for Mrs. Violette Dalton, 27, wife of Roger E. Dalton, who died Friday at 6 p.m. after a considerable illness.

Rev. Fred Hopkins, Presbyterian pastor, will officiate at the services. Burial will be at Mont Meta Burial Park, San Benito, under direction of Stotler-Burdette, Harlingen. Pall-Bearers will include Robert Beattie, Roland Post, Phil Murray, J. B. Smith, C. D. Ritter and Tom W. Starkey.

The body will lie in state at the church from 2 to 3 p.m.

Surviving are the husband; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Spies, La Feria; a brother, Robert V. Spies, La Feria; and a sister, Mrs. Jay Yost, San Benito.

A. E. BROOKS

SAN BENITO—Funeral services for A. E. Brooks, 72, a farmer on the San Benito tract for over 20 years, who died at his home Thursday night, will be held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the Clay Hall chapel here. Dr. Hugh Robertson, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, will officiate. Interment will be in Mont Meta cemetery.

Survivors include the wife; one sister, Mrs. J. W. Harrison of Seguin; and one brother, Dr. W. R. Brooks of Colfax, Wis.

Pallbearers will be Jim Francis, Roy Broson, Nat Brooks, R. C. Clark, Neely Newman and J. F. Mayfield.

Colorado Town Has No 'Potter's Field'

PUEBLO, Colo. —(AP)— There is no "Potter's field," traditional burial place for paupers, in Pueblo. City officials decided long ago that anyone who died here was entitled to "a good burial." Even transients who meet death beneath train wheels are buried in a purchased plot in a cemetery with a ceremony equal to those used in services which cost several hundred dollars.

RETURN FROM TRIP

RAYMONDVILLE — C. D. Gilland and C. E. Croswell returned Tuesday night from a business trip to Houston.

'American Peace' Is Subpoenaed By Dies For Quizz Tuesday

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Chairman Dies (D-Tex) of the House committee investigating un-American activities said Saturday that records of American Peace Mobilization, Inc., had been subpoenaed for a hearing Tuesday.

"We want to know," Dies said, "where they are getting their funds, and we want to know something of their membership."

He said one subpoena was issued to Mrs. Sarah V. Montgomery, secretary of the Washington chapter, and another had been issued recently for the records of the organization's Chicago chapter.

U. S. D. A. Laboratory Is Damaged By Fire

NEW ORLEANS —(AP)— Fire of undetermined origin Saturday extensively damaged the $1,500,000 Third (Southern) Regional Laboratory of the United States Department of Agriculture here but no immediate estimate of the loss could be obtained.

The fire was discovered at an early hour by a newsboy delivering the morning paper.

How 'Hoppin' John' Received Its Name

WASHINGTON, N. C. —(AP)—This being the season for "Hoppin John" the story is again being told of how the dish of hog jowl, peas and rice received its name. It seems that a sea captain in South Carolina had a fellow captain—named John—from North Carolina as a dinner guest. When hog jowl, peas and rice were set before the Tar Heel, his host remarked, "I don't know what it is but, hop in, John." It has been "Hoppin John" ever since.

Tenant Asks Court Who's His Landlord

HAVRE DE GRACE, Md. —(AP)—Curtis Kroh is running up a nice bank account, because he doesn't know who should get his rent money.

He went to court to learn whether he should pay it to three heirs of his late landlord, or to two other claimants of the landlord's estate. The case went to the appeals court, which remanded it for further hearings.

TIDE TABLE

In the following table is given the time under normal and ordinary meteorological conditions of high and low tides in the Pass and along the immediate coast during March, 1941.

	High Tides	Low Tides
March 2	6:10 a.m. 5:38 p.m.	11:57 a.m.
March 3	7:14 a.m. 5:57 p.m.	12:21 a.m. 12:43 p.m.
March 4	8:17 a.m. 6:11 p.m.	1:15 a.m. 1:44 p.m.
March 5	10:37 a.m.	2:15 a.m.
March 6	11:57 a.m.	3:17 a.m.
March 7	12:46 p.m.	4:20 a.m.
March 8	1:23 p.m.	5:21 a.m.
March 9	1:55 p.m. 11:42 p.m.	6:17 a.m. 7:40 p.m.
March 10	2:25 p.m.	7:05 a.m. 7:54 p.m.
March 11	12:47 a.m. 2:53 p.m.	7:52 a.m. 8:18 p.m.
March 12	1:47 a.m. 3:25 p.m.	8:36 a.m. 8:48 p.m.
March 13	2:47 a.m. 3:46 p.m.	9:21 a.m. 9:25 p.m.
March 14	3:46 p.m.	10:07 p.m.
March 15	4:12 p.m. 4:30 a.m. 4:38 p.m.	10:07 p.m. 10:58 a.m. 10:55 p.m.
March 16	5:53 a.m. 5:05 p.m.	11:54 a.m. 11:51 p.m.
March 17	7:04 a.m. 5:32 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
March 18	8:33 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	12:53 a.m. 2:22 p.m.
March 19	10:15 a.m.	2:00 a.m.
March 20	11:38 a.m.	3:13 a.m.
March 21	12:36 p.m.	4:30 a.m.
March 22	1:20 p.m. 11:29 p.m.	5:46 a.m. 7:37 p.m.
March 23	1:55 p.m.	6:51 a.m. 8:00 p.m.
March 24	12:36 a.m. 2:21 p.m.	7:42 a.m. 8:20 p.m.
March 25	2:42 a.m. 2:26 a.m. 3:02 p.m.	8:26 a.m. 8:40 p.m. 9:03 a.m. 9:00 p.m.
March 27	3:14 a.m. 3:21 p.m.	9:35 a.m. 9:21 p.m.
March 28	3:58 a.m. 3:40 p.m.	10:08 a.m. 9:47 p.m.
March 29	4:41 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	10:40 a.m. 10:15 p.m.
March 30	5:25 a.m. 4:19 p.m.	11:15 a.m. 10:49 p.m.
March 31	6:10 a.m. 4:35 p.m.	12:00 noon 11:28 p.m.

If 130 odd people are laid end to end, it is a normal United States motorists' week-end.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

Texas Flier Killed In Crash On Coast

SAN DIEGO, Calif.—(AP)—James Elmore Spillman, 23, army air corps cadet flier from Lancaster, Tex., was killed Friday in the crash of a training plane he was piloting.

Spillman's instructor, William E. Clark, a civilian, parachuted to safety from the plane after it went into a spin. Clark said that he gave Spillman instructions to jump, but that the student evidently was unable to leave the cockpit in time.

G. E. Hires 16,000

SCHENECTADY, N. Y. — (AP) — Defense contracts totalling $350,000,000 have given employment in General Electric Company plants to 16,000 new workers in the past six months, a company official said Saturday.

RETURNS FROM TRIP

SAN JUAN—H. D. Munal returned Friday from a business trip to Del Rio.

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TOURS, OTHER EVENTS READY FOR TOURISTS

Fishing Trips Planned From Upper Valley

McALLEN—Fishing excursions, a Rubinoff violin concert and Hobby Club tours will be enjoyed this week by tourists in McAllen and surrounding territory.

Monday the advanced Spanish class meets at 9 a.m. At 10 a.m., shuffleboard players will play in a tourist round-up contest at Harlingen and at 1 p.m., the bridge and domino players will enter the competition in the tourists club room in the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel. At 2 p.m., Mrs. C. D. Baker, program chairman, has announced a tour to Pharr to view a butterfly collection; 4 p.m., conducted tour to Reynosa with a wild game dinner. Tuesday at 9 a.m., meeting of the beginners Spanish club and at 2 p.m. the regular game party in the club room.

Wednesday offers a new boat trip up the Brownsville channel with lunch at the Brownsville Yacht Club, and fishing during the afternoon. Registrations must be made by Monday at 5 p.m. There will be games in the club room all day. Rubinoff and his violin will be at the junior high school auditorium at 8 p.m. under Kiwanis Club auspices.

Thursday the advanced Spanish class in the club room at 9 a.m.; games in the club room in the afternoon, will meet 7:30, the regular tourist party with a dance review for the entertainment; Friday, regular Spanish class at 9 a.m. and games in the afternoon.

Saturday at 1 p.m., there will be a tour of the Upper Valley.

CELAYA GIVES HOUSE BILLS

Seven Parks Acts Go To Legislature

BROWNSVILLE—Seven bills designed to greatly stimulate creation of new state parks have been introduced in the Legislature at Austin by State Rep. Augustine Celaya, Brownsville.

The bills are aimed at giving the state park board specific control of operation and regulation of the parks, to purchase park sites, to protect park preserves, and to operate concessions such as restaurants and refreshment stands.

Representative Celaya also introduced a measure, on request of the State Department of Agriculture, defining commercial quantities of sweet potatoes as being 400 pounds or more.

Following are th state park bills:

680. Empowering state parks board to purchase park sites.

681. Empowering state parks board to acquire for park purposes areas within conservation districts.

682. Requiring consent of caretaker before taking fish from waters of any public park controlled by state parks board.

683. Prohibiting molesting of wild life on state parks.

684. Establishing a twenty-mile speed limit in state parks.

685. Prohibiting sale or consumption of alcoholic beverages in state parks.

686. Granting state parks board right to operate concessions on park sites.

Russia Protests

Propaganda Seized By Postal Men?

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Soviet Russia has lodged a protest with the State Department against seizure of mail from Russia allegedly containing Soviet propaganda.

State Department officials said Saturday the protest came from Constantine Oumansky, the Soviet ambassador, in recent conferences with Undersecretary Sumner Welles. No details were made public.

Postmaster-General Walker announced February 21 that more than 75,000 pieces of foreign propaganda mail had been seized by postal authorities during the past two months, most of which originated in Russia and Germany.

Fishing Champion Returns To Home

BROWNSVILLE—G. S. Perkins, champion bass catcher of Ellis county, left this week with Mrs. Perkins for their home in Ennis, Tex., after spending a week here with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Perkins.

Mr. Perkins caught a 7 1-2-pound bass, the largest of the season, in Ellis county, and intended to try salt water angling at Brownsville ship channel, but was thwarted by unfavorable weather. He expressed his intention of returning later this year for the sport.

Auto Tags Drain On Some Folks' Wallets

NEW BRITAIN, Conn. —(AP)— Some folks must have spent their last cent obtaining 1941 automobile registrations.

Three purses were found in the motor vehicles department office here after the last day rush ended, all empty.

Randolph Man Killed

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Graduation from Randolph field but a half month away, Flying Cadet R. Reed, 24, of San Bernardino, Calif., crashed to his death in his basic training plane near here Friday night.

Houston Symphony Orchestra Last On Civic Music List For 1941

Pictured above is the 77-piece Houston Symphony Orchestra, which will be presented in concert at the Harlingen municipal auditorium on March 27. The concert will be the last for the season sponsored by the Valley Civic Music Association, which Monday begins one-week membership campaign for the 1941 concert season. The orchestra, in addition to its evening concert here, will present a special matinee concert March 27 for Valley school band members.

ARMY TO GET FIRST ROADS

Texas Counties Get No Encouragement

AUSTIN —(AP)— With military roads holding first draw on the state's highway funds, delegations seeking road improvements got little encouragement from the State Highway Commission at the monthly hearing Saturday.

Representatives from four counties appeared with requests, and each heard in reply "shortage of funds," but were assured all applications would receive full consideration.

Explaining all federal aid must be used for strategic highways in the military network, Chairman Brady Gentry said many road improvements now badly needed would probably not "even get started for 15 years."

Widening and paving of State Highway 36 in Rosenberg was asked by a Fort Bend county delegation. Representatives of Wichita and Clay counties requested designation and construction of a road from Wichita Falls to Charlie and Byers.

WPA Worker With $4 In His Pocket Begins Long Search Afoot For His Unknown Parents In Wintry West

JOHNSTOWN Pa. —(AP)—Fortified by his capital of $4 and a boast that "I'm used to knocking around," a young WPA worker said Saturday he would start Monday on a 1,500 mile hitchhiking trip through the wintry middlewest—on another lap of his search for the parents he has never known.

"And if I don't succeed I'll go farther — anywhere," declared John Sandor, Jr., 26. "Maybe I'll go hungry, but that's nothing. I'll never quit."

Sandor bears the name of the foster-father, who adopted him from a Pittsburgh orphanage in 1915 when he was an infant. He doesn't even know the names of his real parents. The only clue to their identity was orphanage records lost from a shirt-pocket of the elder Sandor when the shirt was sent to the wash in 1916.

"I've always been worrying and wondering who my mother and father were," the young man said. "I want them—whether rich or ragged. Good or bad."

Hookworm infection is a serious health problem in South America.

Big Bend Park Said Lure For Tourists

ALPINE, Tex.—(AP)—The Big Bend National Park was pictured Saturday by Dr. H. W. Morelock, president of Sul Ross State Teachers College, as a magnet to lure tourist dollars into Texas trade channels.

"Regardless of what forms taxes take the money with which to pay them must come from the trade, channels of the state," Dr. Morelock, who is vice president of the Texas Big Bend Park Association, said in an interview.

NEW BUILDING TOTA LLISTED

$25,000 Is February Mark In McAllen

McALLEN—New construction in McAllen during February totaled $25,016, with the largest of the 15 building permits issued to Rev. Father Charles Buckley for a construction of a $6,000 Catholic Church.

Construction totaled less than half of the building done here during February, 1940, when permits soared to $54,437. City Inspector C. C. Eckhoff said. The decrease was $29,421.

Permits issued included: Residences, J. E. Habermann, $2,500; Gus Guerra, $1,750; Felipe Senda, $50; Herminio Delgado, $100; Guadalupe Rodriguez, $300; Antonio Rodriguez, $50; Amado Garcia, $125; Jay Lake, $200; Julia de Diaz, $90; Eva A. Chappell, $250; garages, E. B. Ogden, $70; Martin Vargas, $30; additions, Jay Lake, $100; Eva Cantu, $25.

RETURN TO COMBES

COMBES—Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wilson have moved back in Combes to the house they formerly occupied.

U. S. Navy May Hike Strength To 300,000

WASHINGTON— (AP) —A prediction that Congress would be asked within a few days to increase the navy's strength to 300,000 men was made Saturday by the Army and Navy Register.

The service publication said that this increase from the present force of about 220,000 would suffice only for the remainder of the year. The navy already has estimated that 500,000 men will be required for the prospective two-ocean fleet, due to be completed in 1944 or 1946.

Italians Give Version Of Recapture Of Castelrosso

ROME — (AP) — The Italian high command told Saturday of a victory over an "imposing" force of British which, it was said, went to great pains to seize the tiny island of Castelrosso off Turkey's southwest coast only to be ejected.

(The British said Friday their forces "accomplished their object" and withdrew.)

The Italians, mentioning events on the four-mile-square island in the Dodecanese for the first time, gave this as their version:

Mobilizing an "expeditionary force," with "naval formations" and warplanes, the British bombed and hammered the island on February 25 until they had overcome the small garrison of "soldiers and sailors" who held it for Italy.

But that was only a temporary victory for the British, the high command said. Three days later several small Italian torpedo boats, with "effective aid" of the air force, landed a party which "rapidly destroyed the British garrison," took possession of prisoners, arms, munitions and a British flag, and restored Italian rule.

48 MEETINGS ARE HELD IN NEW C. OF C. BUILDING

McALLEN—During the 28 days of February, 48 meetings were held in the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building, besides numerous conferences for transaction of routine business, and the registration of over 500 tourists, a report by chamber officials Saturday revealed. The officials expressed their appreciation to citizens for making the building possible and thanked all donors of chairs to the new auditorium.

The reports showed that among the 48 meetings were one regional exhibit, two conventions, one farm women's meeting, five chamber of commerce meetings, four city club meetings and 11 committee eetings. The remainder were tourist meetings. The greatest number of meetings held on any one day was five.

IN BROWNSVILLE

PHARR—Mrs. O. E. Avery visited friends and attended the showing of "Virginia" in Brownsville Thursday night.

Free French Forces Team With British

LONDON — (AP) — "Free French" headquarters announced Saturday that a field battalion of their forces from the Chad territory now was aiding British in operations against Cheren, Eritrea, and that it had participated in the capture of Cubcub, north of Cheren, seizing 400 prisoners and three guns.

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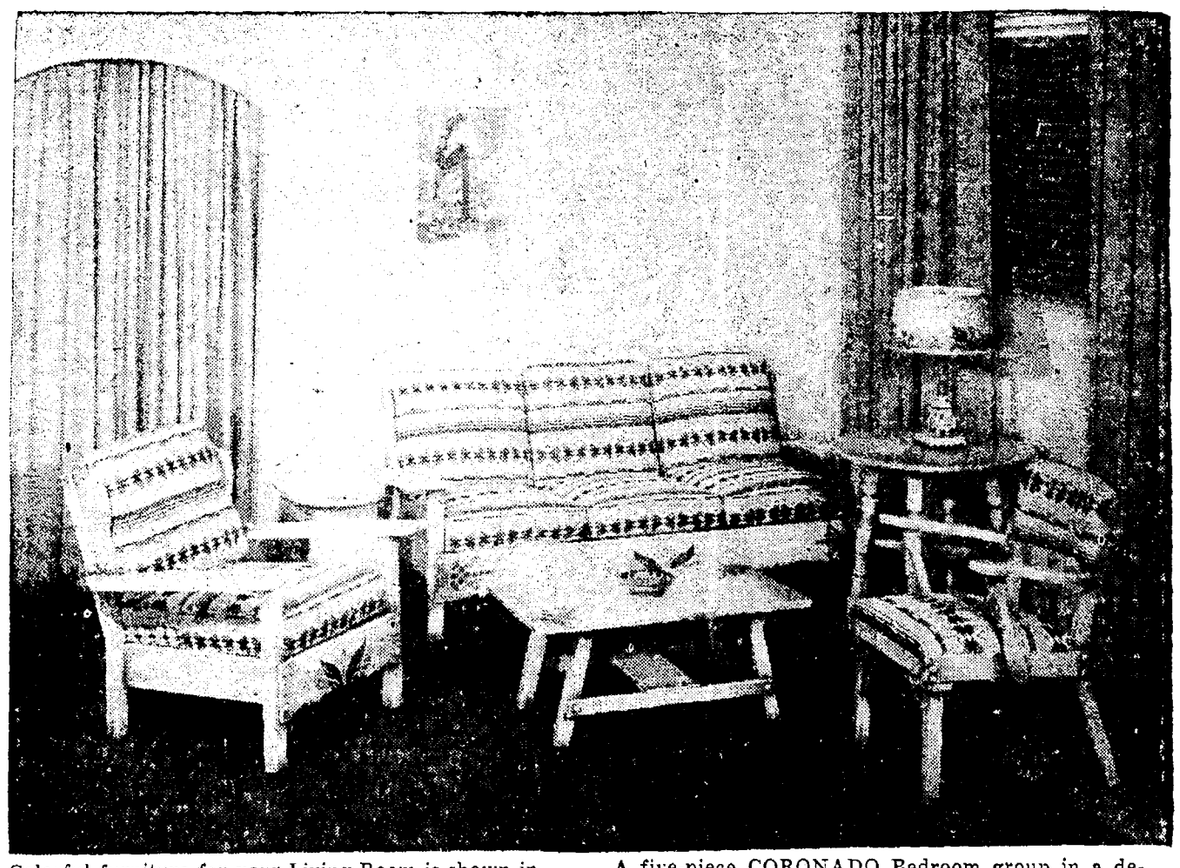

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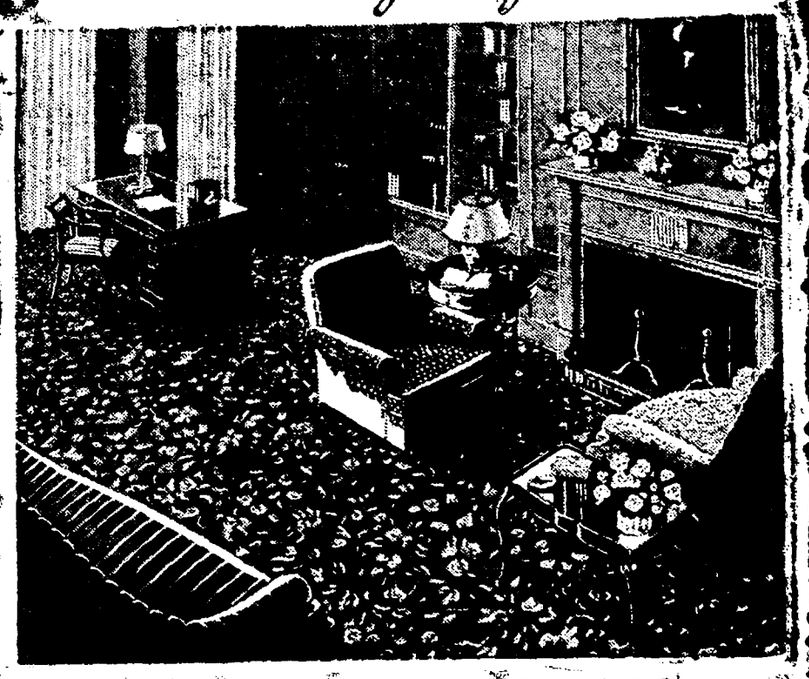

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Interpreting The War News

Nazis To Risk All?

Hitler May Want To Avoid Another 'War Winter' And Open Offensive Now

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

The month of March, reputed in respect to weather to go out like a lamb when it comes in like a lion, does not seem destined to live up to that reputation so far as events of the European war are concerned.

It has come in like a lion with tension high in the Balkans and Germany reporting sea-war successes against Britain. It bids fair to go out roaring with action certainly in the Atlantic and possibly also in the Balkans and the far Pacific.

Germany reached her high-water mark in the World War in March 1918. The Kaiser's armies all but cut the French and British apart on the west front in that spring drive. They risked everything on that final offensive in the hope of avoiding another war winter for Germany.

There is good reason to believe now that Berlin is prepared to risk all on the Hitler-pledged great sea attack on England for precisely the same reason. Another war winter in the strangling grip of the British blockade could threaten the Nazi regime with internal disintegration if British and neutral economists gauge German food and oil resources right.

Germany "Prepared"

Nazi leaders from Hitler down have said repeatedly that they are prepared for a war of any duration. Months ago, however, Americans back home from Berlin told this writer of their doubts on that score.

They saw possibilities of an uprising in Germany only distantly. It depended, they believed, on either of two factors.

Even iron-fisted Nazi suppression at home could not avert serious rumblings of discontent, they believed, if the German army sustained a disastrous defeat. They felt certain that it was fear of just such a defeat that withheld a German attempt to invade England last summer or early fall when other conditions seemed right for the attempt.

The other factor which could undermine Hitler at home, they believed, was a grave food shortage; but they saw no prospect that it could develop before the winter of 1941-42. American economists who give close attention to the present or predictable food situation in Germany or on the European continent seem to share that opinion.

Scarcity Of Fats

There is before the writer a recapitulation from authoritative sources of the German food situation as of today so far as it is known. There are many missing or incalculable factors, but it seems clear that the general mass of Nazi citizenry is now suffering from lack of the same fats for diet purposes that drove the German people of 1918 to revolt against the Kaiser.

DICK STOUT BOOKED HERE

Attorney Speaks At Friday Rotary

DICK STOUT

HARLINGEN--Dick Stout, Dallas motion picture counsel and former assistant attorney general of Texas, will address the Harlingen Rotary Club Friday, March 7, speaking on the subject, "National Defense and the Motion Picture Industry."

To accompany his talk, Stout will set up a complete sound-equipped motion picture unit, and will show a timely program of patriotic films.

Spoke At Camp Bowie

Stout recently delivered his address to over 500 officers and men at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, in the Army tent theatre. Following the talk, Sout showed a National Defense aviation program, consisting of films dealing with America's air corps and Britain's R.A.F. The program received praise from Major General Claud V. Birkhead, 36th Division and Camp Bowie commander, who was present with his entire staff.

Stout is well known throughout the Lower Rio Grande Valley and has been closely identified with the citrus industry. He served as assistant attorney general during the last two years of Attorney General McCraw's tenure, and was retained by Attorney General Mann when he took office. Stout remained with Mann a year and five months before resigning to specialize in motion picture law.

Interstate Attorney

During first few months of Attorney General Mann's administration, Stout represented the department of agriculture in minimum price litigation. After several months in all sections of the Valley, Stout returned to Austin and made several addresses on the beauty and natural advantages of the Valley.

He has just returned from New York where he attended meeting of the executive committee of the motion picture committee cooperating for National Defense, theatre division. Stout is attorney for Interstate Circuit Inc. and Texas Consolidated Theatres Inc. The executive committee is composed of outstanding picture exhibitors of the United States. While in New York, Stout was a guest at the Recruiting Publicity Bureau of the U. S. Army at Governor's Island, where he discussed cooperation of motion picture industry and national defense with Army officials.

Houston To Memphis Airline Route Open

HOUSTON—(AP)—A Houston-to-Memphis air route was opened Saturday with the departure of a 21-passenger Chicago and Southern Air Lines plane, the City of Houston, at 8:30 a.m.

A brief ceremony, in which a ribbon across the plane door was snipped, preceded the take-off.

Fort Myer Barracks Destroyed By Fire

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The interior of a half century old brick barracks at nearby Fort Myer, Va., was destroyed Saturday by fire, which was kept from spreading to other buildings by apparatus summoned from the national capitol.

The barracks housed 160 men of Battery C, 16th Field Artillery, all of whom escaped injury.

Closed Fish Season Bill Becomes A Law

AUSTIN—(AP)—A bill providing a closed season on certain fish in Lake Waco, the Bosque river and tributaries in McLennan, Brazos and Hamilton counties became law Saturday when it was filed in the secretary of state's office without the governor's signature. Rep. Gordon Davis of Waco was the bill's author.

San Antonio Priest Succumbs Saturday

AUSTIN—(AP)—The body of the Rev. Paul Joseph Foik, CSC, 60, dean of arts and letters and librarian at St. Edward's University here, lay in state at the University Saturday night.

The noted Catholic scholar and historian died early Saturday of a heart disease.

Forty-Fifth Division Moves To Texas

All morning long, February 28, this was the scene at Fort Sill, Okla., as 1100 trucks rolled out in convoys transporting some 10,000 men of the Forty-Fifth Division to their new headquarters at Camp Barkeley, Abilene, Tex. Convoys rolled out from daylight until after noon.

Interesting Origins Of Familiar Expressions We Use

By FRANK COLBY

FACE THE MUSIC. I have found three theories as to how this expression originated. 1. It is of theatrical origin, first being used by actors, who were nervously preparing to go before the footlights and literally face the music (the orchestra or the pianist). 2. It is traced to the military formation. The soldier, in full equipment, stands at attention and faces the music. 3. At a military execution, the condemned one is made to stand facing both the firing squad and the "music," i.e., the bugler or the drum and bugle corps.

MAKE NO BONES. It is said that this expression originated in England with people living on the coast. Eating their fish in haste, they declared that they "made no bones" about it; that is, they disregarded the bones.

A COON'S AGE. A coon's age is an indefinite length of time, such as the number of years a raccoon may be expected to live. There is no connection with the vulgarism "coon," a derisive term for Negro.

BURY THE HATCHET. In pioneer days, the tomahawk was a favorite weapon of both Indian and settler. It also was used by the Indians as a ceremonial symbol. They buried the hatchet when they made peace, and dug it up again on the breaking out of war.

IN CAHOOTS. Cahoots is a corruption of COHORTS, members of a company or bands; hence, those who have the same interest or who seek a common objective, as "we are in cahoots, together," for "we are cohorts."

GO TO BLAZES. Blazes is simply a euphemism for the infernal regions, or for the devil. "He looked, upon my word, like Old Blazes himself, with his clothing all on fire."—Southern Literary Messenger, 1849.

KICK THE BUCKET. It is believed that this expression originated in the gaol of former centuries. The prison cell contained a bucket and a pallet as the only furnishings. The despondent prisoner who desired suicide circled his neck with his belt, which had been fastened to an upper bar of the door. Then, by kicking the bucket from beneath his feet, he managed to hang himself.

A NUMBER ONE. In the days of the sailing vessel, Lloyds of London used letters and numerals in rating the insurability of ships. A-1 marked a ship as the best type of "risk."

RED TAPE. This expression had its origin in the custom in public offices of tying up documents with red tape. Later, when it was necessary to consult the documents, the tape made the work slow and disagreeable. The expression has long been known. Dickins used it in "David Copperfield": "Skewered through and through with office pens, and bound hand and foot with red tape."

THE DOLLAR MARK. There are two logical theories as to how the dollar mark originated. The first explanation is that $ is a simple monogram made by combining the letters U. S. It was used to distinguish American coins from the Spanish coins which circulated extensively in the young republic. The second theory is that $ evolved from the Mexican sign Ps for pesos or piastres (pieces of eight) which were widely used before the adoption of the United States dollar in 1785.

P'S and Q'S. In the old taverns, a record was kept of the liquor purchases of guests by tallying the pints and quarts as they were imbibed. Seasoned travelers minded their P's and Q's carefully in order that they might not be overcharged.

PULL THE WOOL. According to De Vere (1871): "To 'pull wool over the eyes,' as is done to make sheep go into the water or into the pen where they are to be shorn, means proverbially to blind one's judgment." HOODWINK refers to the hood with which falcons were blinded and rendered tractable.

NOSE TO THE GRINDSTONE. This is an allusion to the toilsome hours a farmer must spend in the spring to sharpen on the grindstone the various cutting implements of the farm. The word "grind," in the meaning of a long, monotonous task, has the same origin. A man who had "an axe to grind," and who possessed no grindstone of his own, would make what apparently was a purely social call on a neighbor for the purpose of having his axe ground without cost.

The expression is an old one. "Special legislation in behalf of private interests is one of the curses of this country. The number of axes which are taken to the various state capitols, to be ground at the public expense, is perfectly enormous."—New York Tribune, March 23, 1871.

HOUSTON NEWS EDITOR QUITS

M. E. Foster Founder Of Chronicle

HOUSTON—(AP)—M. E. Foster, editor emeritus and columnist of The Houston Press and former editor and publisher of The Houston Chronicle, retired Saturday.

His retirement ended a lively 45-year career in Houston, which started when he came here from Huntsville as a $10-a-week reporter.

Young Marcellus Foster's first job in Houston was on the Houston Post. In three years he was managing editor. During his tenure in that position he covered the great Galveston flood.

Founds Chronicle

One year after that disaster, the first edition of the Houston Chronicle rolled off the presses. Foster had raised $25,000 to start the paper, which was to play an important part in city and state life.

Success came quickly to Foster and The Chronicle. He drew attention with his sharp writings under the name "Mefo"—taken from his first two initials and the first two letters of his surname.

Fought Ku lux

He fought the Ku Klux Klan for five years.

On June 26, 1926, Foster retired as editor and publisher of The Chronicle, selling his stock to Jesse Jones, present secretary of commerce.

He joined the Houston Press as editor emeritus four years ago. He will retain the latter title, although he will not write for the paper any longer.

Producing Wells In Texas Total 95,660

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texas now has 95,660 producing oil wells, a gain of 72 in the past week, the State Railroad Commission reported Saturday.

The commission estimated that actual Texas production this week averaged 1,304,479 barrels a day, or 22,921 below the Bureau of Mines recommendation for March.

Defense Creates Big Hike In Living Cost

SAN BENITO—Rehearsals are under way of the De Molay's old-fashioned melodrama, "He Ain't Done Right by Nell" and several vaudeville skits that are to be staged at the American Legion hall on March 13, 14 and 15. Miss Margaret Conrardy is directing the show.

Senate Votes Probe Of Defense Program

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Senate voted unanimously Saturday to undertake an investigation of the defense program. The inquiry will be made by a committee of seven senators, to be appointed by the vice president.

Proposals for a similar House investigation are pending in that branch.

California Tops

FHA State Building Totals Listed

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Federal Housing Administration reported Saturday that California led the nation in new home construction under the FHA system last year, accounting for nearly one-fifth of the 162,333 mortgages valued at $721,462,431, which were insured in 1940.

The California totals were 30,943 mortgages worth $131,715,900.

The FHA also reported this number of mortgages insured and their aggregate value in other states:

Oklahoma, 3,024 and $11,668,850; Texas, 10,626 and $40,756,550.

Cleaning Agent For Defense Metal Told

CLEVELAND—(AP)—Development of a new cleansing agent which is expected to double the life of certain strategic defense metals was reported Saturday by a Wyandotte, Mich., research chemist.

Aluminum and light metal alloys used in airplane and anti-aircraft shell manufacture are given greater protection against corrosion by bathing them in the cleaning solution, Dr. Thomas R. Vaughn asserted in an interview.

Dr. Rainey Stresses Economic Awakening

AUSTIN—(AP)—Decrying the slowness of Texas and the south in realizing the area's potentialities, Dr. Homer P. Rainey, president of the University of Texas, urged an "economic awakening" in an address to several hundred alumni at a Texas Independence Day banquet here Saturday night.

Wage-Hour Talk On Radio Is Scheduled

HARLINGEN—Gus C. Street Jr., of Dallas, regional director, Wage and Hour Division, U. S. Department of Labor, will speak over KRGV at Weslaco at 1:30 p.m. Sunday on the Wage and Hour Law as Affecting the Citrus Industry."

WEST VIRGINIA GUEST

SAN BENITO—Mrs. Marie Fitch has as her guest for a month's stay, her niece, Mrs. Raymond Shane of Keyser, W. Va.

Cancer Parley

Mrs. Volney Taylor Goes To Austin

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Volney W. Taylor of Brownsville, state commander and regional deputy commander of the Women's Field Army of the American Society for the Control of Cancer, is to confer Sunday morning in Austin with the cancer committee of the State Medical Association.

Purpose of the meeting is to discuss revisions of a bill providing appropriations for a state hospital for indigent cancer patients.

Mrs. Taylor returned here Saturday morning from Houston where she spent Friday assisting Mrs. John T. Moore, captain of Harris county, in formation of a unit of the WFA of ASCC. She was to leave Saturday by train for Austin.

CRASH INJURES FIVE

BOWIE, Tex.—(AP)—Four of five young women who were injured in an automobile accident near Sunset Sunday night remained in a hospital here Monday night.

MOBILITY OF ARMY SHOWN

Camp Barkeley Move Without Hitch

By DAVE CHEAVENS

(See Picture at Left)

ABILENE—(AP)—Transfer of 10,500 troops of the 45th Division from Fort Sill, Okla., to Camp Barkeley here without an injury or mishap demonstrates the "strategical mobility" of a modern motorized division, Major General W. S. Key said Saturday.

'Splendid Training'

The commanding general of the division made up of southwestern soldiers said the chief significance of the swap in camps lay in its value as "splendid training, giving us an opportunity to show how more than half a division can pick up and move, bag and baggage, more than 200 miles without a hitch."

"The convoy came through on schedule and without a scratch," he said. "It reflects credit on the men and on their supervising officers. When our entire allowance of motorized equipment is received, we will be able to move the entire division under our own power by the shuttle process. We moved yesterday with eight-elevenths of our own motors.

"The men are in fine physical condition and they like to work. This training camp is well-suited to field work, and they will get plenty of it."

He asked that visitors postpone inspecting the camp for a week or so until construction is further along and until the troops can adjust themselves here. He pointed out that in addition to approximately 13,000 troops in camp, Sunday there will be 6,000 workmen on hand.

Indiana counts only men over 21 in distributing legislative seats.

REVENUERS PLAY SNOWMEN TO NAB MOONSHINE CORN

RICHMOND, Va.—(AP)—T. P. Duggan and T. F. Casey mushed through the pre-dawn snowstorm. At Goddin Street they fell prone and the wind-swept flakes covered them like two lonely hillocks.

A man came out of a house and passed the snow mounds without a backward glance as he made his way to a thicket.

Then T. P. Duggan and T. F. Casey arose from the snow and as alert operatives of the State Liquor Control Board laid hands on the man and charged him with the possession of 194 half-gallon jars of moonshine corn.

C. C. Finished

Final Work Scheduled On Structure

McALLEN—All construction work on the McAllen chamber of commerce building is expected to be completed by the end of the week, officials said Saturday.

The new auditorium and original structure are being painted a cream color.

The cost of the new construction and remodeling the old building will be between $4,500 and $5,000, officials said. The cost will exceed estimates because improvements were made to the old building and a new roof was put on the structure.

Part of the auditorium has been partitioned to enclose an office for the chamber manager and a committee meeting room.

VISIT IN BROWNSVILLE

PHARR — Mrs. Lena Britten is visiting with friends in Brownsville this week.

MASONIC MEET TO DRAW MANY

Several Districts To Be Represented

McALLEN—Officials of the McAllen Masonic lodge said Saturday that replies and reports from Masons of other Texas districts and the grand lodge of Tamaulipas, indicates that a large number will be on hand here Friday, March 7, at the annual Valley-wide meeting of the 40th district, which will also mark the 25th anniversary of the founding of the McAllen lodge.

Replies have been received from the 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd and 120th districts and from the Tamaulipaas lodge.

Past grand masters who will attend are W. Madden Fly, Gonzalez, chairman of the foreign correspondence; Wallace Hugh Stone, McKinney, and Leo Lockwood, Waco.

Other officials who will be present are George H. Belew, grand secretary, Waco; Rogers Kelley, Edinburg, grand senior warden, and Sam B. Cantey, Jr., grand master of the Texas lodge, who will make the principal address.

The Masons will gather at the McAllen high school athletic field at 6 p. m. for a barbecue and at 8 p. m. will meet at the junior high school for the tiled session.

STUDENT VISITING

McALLEN—Fred Taylor, student at the University of Texas, is spending the week-end visiting friends here.

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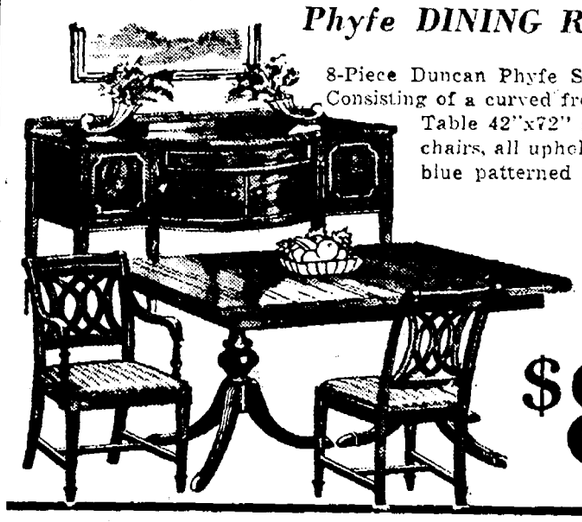

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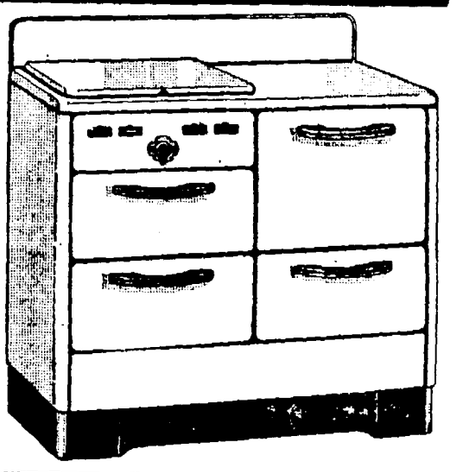

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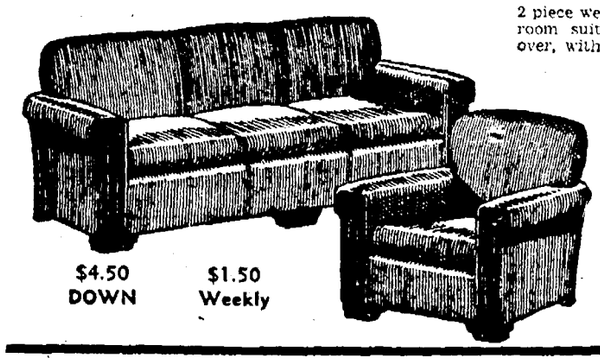

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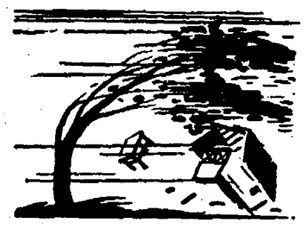

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46 BUSINESS FIRMS ENTER SAFETY MOVE

McAllen Lions Club Sponsors Drive

McALLEN — Forty-six McAllen firms had joined the Lions Club sponsored traffic safety drive Saturday to make McAllen a really safe city.

Firms desiring to enter the contest have until March 5 to fill out blanks, H. B. Gabbert, chairman of the Lions safety committee, said. The McAllen Chamber of Commerce safety committee is cooperating in the campaign to enroll every firm in the city to assist with the drive.

A total of 366 employees were listed among the cooperating firms. Awards will be given to the firms who on March 1, 1942 present a perfect safety record. Individuals connected with the firms will be given safe driver awards, Gabbert explained.

Since Hidalgo county, with 68 traffic deaths, rates third in the state in the number of traffic deaths for 1940, this drive will undoubtedly save many lives by the safety program now under way, G. M. Taylor, chairman of the chamber's safety committee, said.

"Driver training pays big dividends in savings, not only in life but expensive repair costs," he said. "It is the campaign's objective to obtain a perfect driving score by the elimination of traffic accidents with the hope that their project will become county-wide in effect."

Firms who have signed for the campaign are Martin and Martin Garage, Brown Express, McAllen Moving and Transfer, City State Bank and Trust Company, McAllen Motor, Railway Express, Kreidler's, Western Auto, McAllen Coca Cola, Goodrich, Carpenter Chevrolet, Rado Refinery, Edelstein Better Furniture, O'Neal Specialty, Polk Motor, Borderland Hardware, Crawford Construction, Grisham Ice Cream, Valley Evening Monitor,

McAllen Ice, Valley Dr. Pepper, Martin-Nelson, Red Arrow, Rio Grande Valley Gas Company, Kemble Oil, Lack's Tire and Supply, Brogdex, Boggus Motor, Valley Pipeline, Western Union, Southern Pacific Railroad, Retail Merchants, Jones Motor Freight, Vine's Furniture, A. B. C. Cab, Troy Cleaning, C. R. Anthony Company, Robinson Truck Lines, Maytag, Folsom Floral, Valley Mercantile, Palmer Drug, Central Power and Light Company, chamber of commerce, Young's Drug and the Alamo Freight Lines.

New Labor Head

Fidel Velazquez To Replace Toledano

MEXICO CITY—(AP)—Fidel Velazquez was elected by acclamation to succeed Vicente Lombardo Toledano as secretary-general of the Confederation of Mexican Workers Saturday during the concluding session of the CTM's second national congress.

Regarded as more conservative than his predecessor, Velazquez was expected to chart a middle-of-the-road course for the CTM in contrast to the frank leftist trend under Lombardo Toledano. For this reason, Velazquez was described as acceptable to conservative President Avila Camacho who told the delegates Friday they must "undertake a considered revision of their methods, precedures and objectives."

Russian Purchases For Domestic Uses

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The State Department announced Saturday that Constantine Oumansky, the Soviet ambassador, had informed Undersecretary Welles that all goods being purchased in this country were for the exclusive use of domestic industry in Soviet Russia.

Oumansky's promise, which was interpreted as providing assurance that none of the goods shipped to Russia are being transshipped to Germany, was made during the course of discussions during the day with the undersecretary.

Woman, 3 Tots Burn In Gasoline Blast

ORCHARD, Colo.—(AP)—A woman and three of her children were burned to death Saturday despite the mother's frantic efforts to save them.

Her clothing ignited when gasoline exploded in a downstairs kitchen, Mrs. Earl Butters, 36, disregarded her own danger and dashed upstairs to the children's bedroom. She and her children, Marion, 2, Dean, 6, and Glen, 4, were trapped and burned to death.

La Feria Couple Is Wed In Brownsville

DEL MAR—Del Mar had a pair of newlyweds as guests Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Moore of La Feria.

Mrs. Moore was Miss Mildred White of La Feria prior to her marriage Saturday noon at the Presbyterian church in Brownsville.

They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Twitchell here.

Moore is well-known as the sales manager of the Interstate Fruit and Vegetable Company at La Feria.

To Puerto Rico Job

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Major General James L. Collins, commander of the army's second division at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., was assigned Saturday to command the Puerto Rican department.

GO TO BEAUMONT

McALLEN—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wilson will leave Sunday for Beaumont. He was formerly chief operator at the Palace Theatre.

Weslaco Boys Win First Places

These are the Weslaco boys who as a team won first place at the cattle and swine judging contests sponsored by the Edouch-Elsa chapter, Future Farmers of America, Saturday. At the left is Cecil Truitt, in the center is Herman Henry, holding the trophy and at the right is Clarence Parker. The calves were the Edcouch-Elsa chapter's used in the judging. The three boys also shared individual high point honors with 555 each. Austin, Ellison, Weslaco vocational agriculture teacher, left early and was not in the picture.

Vagrant Didn't Know It Was Against Law To Beg 'When Yo Gits Hawngry'

MERCEDES — "Boss, ah didn't know they's a law against askin' fo' food when yo gets hawngry."

That was the plea Willie Harris, Negro, filed with Justice of the Peace C. J. Fikes, Sr., here this week when he was booked with vagrancy. He was fined $10 and costs for the offense, but before accepting the penalty Willie gave the judge some of his theories about this business of being a tramp.

"Ah gets hawngry lots o' times," he told the judge. "And when ah does ah'm careful about who ah asks. Ah don't go around the residential district; ah just stays downtown an' asks fo' a few crumbs of cheese and some bread. Is dey a law against that?"

Harris' case was one of a number handled in the justice court here this week. Others included Ivy Stafford, speeding, $1. and costs; Baltazar Chapa, violation of law of the road, $10 and costs; W. F. Powell, Jr., violation of law of the road, $1 and costs; G. E. Johnson, affray, $10 and costs; O. J. Power, affray, $1 and costs, and G. K. Wilson, drunkenness, $1 and costs.

In Justice R. E. Erwin's court at Weslaco the past week the following fines were assessed: J. W. Haggard, speeding, $1 and costs; Ardes Featherston, drunkenness, $1 and costs; G. L. Moody, parking on highway, $1 and costs; E. G. Adele, theft, $1 and costs, and Eugene Mitchell, vagrancy, $15 and costs.

In Justice T. Holl Spilman's court at Mission, B. B. Thompson, charged with drunkenness, was fined $10 and costs.

COPS RETURN STOLEN AUTO

2 Held At Reynosa In 1940 Theft

McALLEN — City Patrolman Richard Bales of McAllen and County Patrolman Truett Jordan of Mercedes returned here Saturday afternoon fro mReynosa with a 1939 Ford coupe belonging to the Firestone Auto Supply and Service Store which was stolen outside the station here last February 18.

Released By Mexico

The car was turned over to the two officers and Joe Moore, Firestone manager, at Reynosa Saturday afternoon by Marin Espinosa, Mexican federal district attorney.

Two Reynosa customs officers, Brigido Villareal and Ignacio Aguilar, found the machine 12 miles southwest of Reynosa on the Mendez road the day after the theft. Ruben Federico Gonzalez Victoria and Alvarado Obregon are being held at Reynosa as accomplices in the theft, Bales reported.

Hearings Monday

Victoria and Obregon are to be given hearings by the Reynosa judge Monday, and Bales will appear against them to offer testimony for the Mexican government.

Jordan said a truck belonging to Guinn Goodson of Mercedes, stolen there last February 23, is to be returned Monday. The truck was found about 18 miles south of Reynosa off a dirt road in the brush on February 24. When the vehicle was stolen, it was parked in front of the house of Jose Gonzalez at Mercedes, driver for Goodson.

Soviet Council OK's Big Budget For '41

MOSCOW—(AP)—The Council of Nationalities, one of the two chambers of the supreme Soviet, adopted Saturday by a show of hands the 1941 budget for the Soviet union, providing for expenditures of 216,052,000,000 rubles to be covered by estimated income of 222,375,000,000 rubles.

(The ruble has a nominal value of about 19 cents, but accurate conversion into American money is impossible because of lack of an open market.)

County Judges Okay 1-Cent Tax On Gas

CORPUS CHRISTI — (AP) — The South Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association, closing a two-day session here Saturday, passed unanimously a resolution favoring the adoption of a special one cent gasoline tax to take care of defense road building in Texas. The money would be used to match federal funds applied on military highways.

Mistrial Declared

ORANGE—(AP)—A mistrial was declared Saturday in the case of Carl Jewell, 37, automobile mechanic charged with shooting to death Laurine Wagner, 29, after a district court jury had failed to agree after deliberating 26 hours.

ROBSTOWN VISITOR

McALLEN — Jimmy Westbrook, N. Y. A. district engineer at Robstown and former member of the N. Y. A. staff in McAllen, viisted hetre Saturday.

Troops Called

Chile Army Oversees Sunday Election

SANTIAGO, Chile—(AP)—Chile's armed forces were ordered Saturday night for the first time in history to supervise a general congressional election Sunday which may alter the course of Chilean policies for the next four years.

President Pedro Aguirre Cedra's administration admittedly faced a critical test. Rightists, many of whom supported him two years ago in the now defunct popular front coalition, seek to retain a majority of seats in the Senate and Chamber of Deputies. On the other hand, a so-called "leftist front" bloc including Aguirre's own radical party and members of the old popular front with the exception of the socialists, is bidding for control of both Houses of Congress.

At stake is the entire membership of 147 seats in the Chamber of Deputies and 20 of the 45 Senate seats.

Solons To Tour Big Bend Park Section

ALPINE—(AP)—Thirty-two Texas legislators, including members of the appropriations committee of the House, and other legislative representatives, will leave here Sunday for a tour of the Big Bend Park area.

The group arrived here from El Paso where they inspected the Texas College of Mines and Metallurgy and the lower El Paso Valley Experimental farm.

San Benito Band To Play Concert Today

SAN BENITO — Nolan Hatcher, Los Fresnos band leader, will be guest conductor at the San Benito band concert at 4 p.m. Sunday at the school auditorium.

Miss June Gudmanson will be featured with a clarinet solo in this second of a series of presentations. The program will include the "Star Spangled Banner," "Eroica Overture," "Long, Long Ago," "Atlantis Suite," "Serenade Roccaco," "Babes in Toyland," "Shortening Bread," and "Invercargill March."

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JOINT SPRING MEETING SET?

Stuart Place Units Favor New Plan

HARLINGEN—Members of the five community units packing their grapefruit and oranges through the Stuart Place Citrus Association plant here may hold their annual meeting jointly this spring.

The idea was put up at a joint meeting of the members of the five associations Friday night at the plant and they were unanimously in favor of the plan. The annual meetings usually are held late in the spring at the conclusion of the shipping season after all returns are in for fruit pools. Heretofore separate annual meetings have been held by the Combes, San Benito, Stuart Place, La Feria and Santa Rosa Citrus Associations.

Joint Meeting

It was suggested that by holding a joint meeting, the five associations would be able to bring an outside speaker of note to the Valley. The plan was broached by G. E. Vance, public relations representative of the Rio Grande Valley Citrus Exchange of which the units of the "Five-way Set-up" are members.

R. B. McLeaish, exchange manager, reported on finances and said that the citrus deal looked brighter than in some time. W. A. Brunton, exchange sales manager, expressed hope that larger sizes of grapefruit of which the Valley has a good many, would begin bringing better prices.

Grower Supplies

W. A. Dorman, manager of the Citrus Supply Corporation, an exchange subsidiary, told of supplies growers are able to get from their local associations.

W. E. Allen, manager of the Stuart Place association plant, reported on its operations.

'Rose Tag Day' At McAllen Nets $100

McALLEN—Over $100 was taken in Saturday when the McAllen Garden Club conducted its annual "rose tag day" for the club's civic beautification fund, Mrs. Hershel Whigham, general chairman of the drive, reported.

Nine stations were set up in the business district and roses were sold to passersby.

WESLACO FFA WINS JUDGING

Valley Boys Convene For Edcouch Show

(See Picture at Left)

EDCOUCH—Future Farmers and 4-H Club Boys of the Valley tried their hand at cattle and swine judging here Saturday in the annual contests sponsored by the Edcouch-Elsa Chapter, Future Farmers of America, and the Weslaco team romped off with highest score of the day.

The Weslaco Future Farmers scored 1,665 points out of a possible 1,800. The Edinburg Future Farmers were second, scoring 1,530 points while the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo 4-H club boys scored 1,495 points to place third.

Individual Winners

Members of the Weslaco team also won individual scoring honors, tieing with 555 points each. They were Cecil Truitt, Herman Henry and Clarence Parker. Members of the Edinburg team were John Pawlik, Gaynes Martin and Ernie Lobus while the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo team was composed of Joe Cox, Horace Stiers and Allen Arnold.

Five teams participated in the judging of calves and hogs belonging to the members of the Edcouch-Elsa chapter, FFA. The members of the local chapter did not participate in the judging of their own stock. The calf belonging to Ray Guinn was judged the best of four while the sow belonging to Carl Harbison was judged best.

Noon Barbecue

Judging of the calves and swine took place in the morning and at noon a barbecue was served to the participants, county agents, vocational agriculture teachers and visitors.

Projects of the local FFA chapter were inspected by boys and other visitors from other Valley communities during the day. Hoke McKim is vocational agriculture teacher in the host school while John Riley Wade is chapter president.

'Sphinx' To Talk?

Unsociable Prisoner May Serve 5 More

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—A prisoner in Holmesburg Prison will serve another five years—unless he breaks a five-year silence.

Known as the "Sphinx," the man last spoke after his arrest in 1935 when he was sentenced to five to 10 years on an automobile theft charge. He told police his name was Joseph Luzer but refused to give further information.

They were unable to find out anything more about him except that the jacket of the work clothes he wore when arrested was made in Germany. Guards and doctors who have questioned him in an effort to get him to talk have been met with stony stares.

Luzer's minimum term of five years expires March 3, but Judge Harry S. McDevitt Friday ordered the prisoer confined for the balance of the sentence unless he talks.

Slug From Inspector

CHARLESTON, S. C. —(AP)— You're liable to get a slug from almost anybody. A city bus driver reported he received a brass slug among a roll of nickels from a company inspector.

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Surplus Cotton Instead Of Concrete Is Proposed For Air Raid Shelters

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Cotton instead of reinforced concrete for air raid shelters was proposed Saturday.

E. C. Wallace, New York engineer who conceived the idea, told members of Congress that a 7-foot thickness of cotton would resist the penetration of a 6,000-pound bomb falling from 30,000 feet, whereas a 2,000-pound bomb falling 15,000 feet would penetrate 6-feet of reinforced concrete. The cotton can be fireproofed, it was said, so that incendiary bombs would have little effect.

Wallace's idea stirred enthusiastic interest among members of Congress from the cotton producing states.

Representative Boykin (D-Ala) explained it in a letter to members, and said he hoped to get a joint demonstration by the army and navy with the air corps dropping the bombs.

Boykin said the use of cotton for all-purpose shelters would absorb large quantities of surplus cotton.

Plans for the designers call for spans of 200 feet or more with clear ceiling and insulate sheet steel sidewalls. The roof would be made of 7-foot thick baled cotton tied in place by heavy steel wire netting.

"Woven wire mesh," said Wallace, "has been approved as a means of camouflage and this design has utilized this method as additional protection to the shelter. The design calls for two specially woven wire mats having a tensile strength of 220,000 pounds to the square inch. These mats are to be separated approximately 6 feet apart and supported on an angle above the cotton roof.

"The method of weaving the top mat and the angle at which it is placed should deflect any falling bombs, and if not exploded, should retard the fall and cause the bomb to hit the second screen on its side. The second mat should resist the fall of any bomb up to 1,000 pounds, and if it is a delayed action bomb, deflect this bomb away from the bomb shelter."

Lonesome Parrot

Won't Whistle Since Master In Army

CHICAGO—(AP)—Dr. Louis Spector's parrot is terribly lonesome since his master joined the army.

He won't talk; he won't whistle like he used to, and he won't eat—much. Dr. Spector's sister, Mrs. Meyer Agruss, said the bird only squawks "Lou, O Lou!"

"He's on a food strike and it's pitiful," Mrs. Agruss said.

She scoffed at the suggestion that the parrot might have heard about the dog who pined away for his master in the army.

"The parrot can talk when he's feeling good and he can sing and whistle, but he can't read the newspapers," said Mrs. Agruss.

Del Mar Beach Fish Prospect Excellent

DEL MAR—Propects were excellent for a fine week-end here Saturday.

The beach is in good condition and the water was excellent. Fishermen expected to have good luck over the week-end.

SOONER CHIEF WARNS ARMY

Engineers Are Told Stay Off Damsite

DURANT, Okla.—(AP)—Gov. Leon C. Phillips ordered U. S. Army engineers at the Red River damsite Saturday to stay off state land in the area until arrangements are made to compensate the state for "the losses we will suffer."

The red-haired chief executive went to the engineers' office one-fourth of a mile from the damsite, delivered his ultimatum, then turned back without ever looking at the $56,000,000 project on the Texas-Oklahoma border.

Phillips met Major R. C. Brown, who is in charge of land acquisition for the project, and Capt. J. H. Anderson, in charge of relocating highways and railroads. He advised them that under the law state land may not be sold without his consent and added:

"I notify you now as governor of Oklahoma to stay off it until a program of actually repaying us for the losses we will suffer has been worked out."

Safety Program

Patrolman Musick To Speak At McAllen

McALLEN—When the McAllen Chamber of Commerce safety committee conducts its intensive safety week program the week of March 16, State Patrolman J. O. Musick of Harlingen, will make several speeches.

He will meet with the junior traffic patrol and give the officers instructions in safety measure. Safety Committee Chairman Marvin Taylor said that every one of his committeemen reported their plans were being completed for the week. The school post contests headed by Mrs. Homer Rowe are already under way.

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BAPTISTS IN VALLEY WILL ATTEND MEET

Dallas Convention Is Set April 15-17

HARLINGEN — A large number of Baptist Sunday school officials in Harlingen are expected to attend the annual Texas Baptist Sunday school convention in Dallas on April 15-17, Rev. Douglas Carver said Friday.

Those who may attend include B. S. Mothershed, general superintendents Paul Greenwood, adult department; C. H. Hamilton, Young Peoples'; R. B. Hamilton, Intermediate; Mrs. J. J. Willingham, Juniors; Mrs. J. P. Peek, Primary; Mrs. Walter Malone, Beginners and Mrs. A. H. Goldammer, Cradle Roll; and Mrs. S. G. Stringer, secretary of finance committee and Miss Edity Carden, promotion secretary

In March, 1940, the state convention met in Harlingen with some 6,000 persons attending. The local Sunday school has established a fine record and is "standard" in regulation as are four of its departments.

Speakers Listed

Among those scheduled to speak at the Dallas meeting are Dr. C. O. Johnson, St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. R. G. Lee, Memphis, Tenn.; Dr. John L. Hill, Dr. T. L. Holcomb, Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. R. C. Campbell, Dallas; Andrew Allen, H. B. Ingraham, J. N. Barnette, William P. Phillips, H. L. King, Dr. H. L. Grice, Miss Mary Alice Biby, all from the Baptist school board in Nashville.

J. E. Mead, education director of Cliff Temple Baptist church, Dallas, is president of the convention; Mrs. J. H. Slaughter, Dallas, and Mrs. Monon Seawell, Fort Worth, recording secretary and G. S. Hopkins, who has been general secretary-treasurer for 16 years.

Wootan Chairman

General chairman of arrangements for the meeting is Harry P. Wootan, education director of the Gaston Avenue Baptist church. A pre-convention session features the presentation of "The Prodigal Son," a musical drama, by the Southwestern Seminary Chorus of Fort Worth, on April 14 and a training banquet will be held on April 16.

The organization of the Sunday school convention was completed in Dallas in June 1923 and was formed by the merger of the organized Bible class and the Sunday school superintendent's convention.

Aguilar To Visit

Tamaulipas Governor Plans Trip Here

RIO GRANDE CITY—Governor Magdaleno Aguilar of the state of Tamaulipas, will visit the Valley after meeting Governor W. Lee O'Daniel at Austin, Pedro Diaz and Bill Coddington of Rio Grande City said Saturday.

Diaz and Coddington recently conferred with Governor Aguilar at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico.

The Tamaulipas chief executive is to be escorted to Austin by State Senator Rogers Kelley of Edinburg, senator for the Valley district.

Jose R. Puente, personal friend and advisor of Governor Aguilar, is to be here shortly to meet with members of the Civic Luncheon club and help in arrangements for the governor's trip.

200 Legionnaires Sign At McAllen

McALLEN — McAllen American Legion post officials expected registration of local ex-service men to reach 200, Commander C. D. Martin said Saturday, before final returns are completed.

Incomplete reports on registration were given Friday night at the regular Legion meeting when reports on the Washington Birthday dance were given by Ray Losh and flag donations by O. C. Emery. Members of the Legion post will hold a flag presentation ceremony at the Catholic school Sunday at 4 p.m. when a flag will be donated the school by the post.

Nazis In Morocco

LONDON—(AP)—Gen. Charles de Gaulle, the "Free French" leader, told a reception of French in London Saturday that 80 carefully chosen Germans had arrived in Casablanca, French Morocco, charged with "carrying on the progressive disintegration of France and her empire."

HOW BUSINESS MOVED LAST MONTH

	% NET CHANGE FROM MONTH AGO	% NET CHANGE FROM YEAR AGO
GENERAL SPENDING	-7.4	-12.7
STOCK MARKET	-4.2	-15.0
INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY	+1.0	+13.0
RAW MATERIAL PRICES	-1.4	+6.6
FOOD PRICES	+.8	+2.6

(Gain / Loss)

DRAFTEES TO GET SENDOFF

14 From Brownsville To Leave Monday

BROWNSVILLE — Fourteen Brownsville youths leaving Monday night for Fort Sam Houston on draft call will be given a big sendoff with a luncheon at noon and a band concert at night.

The American Legion post will be host to the lads at noon Monday at the White Kitchen. Several officers of the post will be present and members of the draft board will also be guests.

The Brownsville High School band will play at the Southern Pacific station for an hour prior to departure of the train for San Antonio at 8 p.m. Monday.

Ed Mockbee is chairman of the committee on arrangements, with Tom Stevenson assisting.

The young men to leave Monday night, all volunteers, are: Albert Emmett Reed, Antonio Pena Jr., Juan Saenz Martinez, Ignacio Hernandez, Calixto Gomez, Pablo Perales Gonzales, Crus Salas Flores, Delfino Guerrero, Conrado de la Cruz, Roberto Shears, Rafael Lucio Castro, Candelario Garcia, Juan Garcia Montes and Robert L. Jones.

Presbyterians Set Guest Speaker For Service On Sunday

HARLINGEN—The Rev. Nelson R. Hawkins, president of the Southwestern Presbyterian Home and School for Orphans, will preach at the First Presbyterian church Sunday at 11 a. m.

Sol Zimberoff and Phillip Murray will play a violin duet, Franz Schubert's "Ave Maria." Miss Mary Elizabeth Challes, organist, will play "Temple Prelude," by V. Petrali; "Cantilene," by William Faulkes, and "Festive March," by Charles Blackmore.

At the evening worship the Blue Triangle, the junior high school Y.W.C.A. organization will have their candle lighting service Fifteen girls from this organization will compose a chorus which will sing "I Would Be True," by Walter. Edna Boone, Charlotte Prenzler, Elizabeth Joseph and Carol Fox will outline the history program and purpose of the organization and Ouita Roberts will lead the prayer. The pastor will preach the sermon and Miss Challes will play Mozart's "Pastoral" for the organ prelude.

Edinburg To Change Peddler's Ordinance

EDINBURG—Mayor A. A. Aldrich said Saturday that the city ordinance regulating peddlers' licenses will be amended or rewritten in order that each solicitor from out of the city must pay a fee.

The district court recently ruled that employes of a firm which pays the $25 license fee may solicit business without additional payments. The case involved an Illinoise photo concern which came into the city and took out a corporation license and the agent then engaged solicitors who worked the city.

Bill Richards Leave

SAN BENITO—Bill Richard, who recently resigned as manager of the San Benito Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Richard left Friday for Beaumont. Richard has accepted a position as director of the convention and trade departments of the Beaumont Chamber of Commerce.

TO SAN ANTONIO

EDINBURG — Sheriff and Mrs. R. T. (Bob) Daniel are visiting in San Antonio during the week-end.

PAA LAUNCHES NEW SCHEDULE

Daily Service Starts To Latin America

BROWNSVILLE — To provide daily air transpormt and airmail services from Brownsville to Cristobal, the Canal Zone, and through to Port of Spain, Trinidad, Pan American Airways changed schedules Saturday.

The new services increase the weekly frequencies on the trunk line through Mexico and Central America by one more flight, bringing them to seven.

New Daily Service

On the north coast of South America the proposed changes represent an increase to a daily service, Cristobal to Port of Spain, compared to former four times weekly for this route. By this arrangement the whole of the trunk line of the Pan American system around the Caribbean will have a daily run and the passenger capacity on this route will be increased by more than 16 per cent.

These changes are considered more important than the routine increase in schedules they represent because they are the fulfilment of a long term program. They indicate, furthermore, that the amazing power of expansion of the system has not been diminished by war conditions but, if anything, have been even more greatly stimulated.

Recognizing the need for faster communications as a result of defense activities, the schedules on these routes have been stepped up from three weekly to seven within less than a year and a half. This means that since the war began, the total route miles flown in both directions each week over this section of Pan American Airways have increased from 20,940 to 48,960.

Receipts Gain

Postal Business Shows McAllen Increase

McALLEN—Postal receipts in McAllen for 1941 stole a march on last year with an increase of $681.87 registered for the first two months of the current years.

Total receipts so far this year are $11,400.24, an increase of $681.87 over the first two months of 1940 when $10,718.37 was noted, Postmaster Harry Merts announced Saturday.

During February of this year, $4,962.64 was collected, a rise of $128.45 over February, 1940, total of $4,834.19. Receipts in January, 1941, were $6,437.60, compared with $5,884.18 for January of last year, Merts reported.

McAllen Convention Program Completed

McALLEN — Burris Jackson of Hillboro, president of the Postmasters association of Texas, Saturday sent copies of the program on the convention to be held here March 27, 28, and 29.

The programs were received by Homer Rowe, chairman of the McAllen chamber of commerce conventions committee, and Postmaster Harry Merts.

The sessions will be held at the chamber of commerce building, with the Casa de Palmas Hotel as general headquarters.

New Braniff Hostess

MERCEDES—Miss Mary Ruth Bennett is now a full-fledged air hostess for Braniff Airways, having completed the line's required training courses at its Dallas base. She is now assigned to regular flights on Braniff's Great Lakes to the Gulf route.

Oil Supply Company Locates At McAllen

McALLEN—Harold D. Powell, Valley manager of the Mid-Continent Supply Company, rented a house in McAllen Saturday and will move his wife and daughter here, within the next few days.

Mid-Continent has an oil field supply yard under construction at Sullivan City. The concern will have four employes stationed at Sullivan City, but Powell, the general manager, will maintain his headquarters in McAllen, he told the chamber of commerce. Powell said that he believed other supply companies would soon come into the Valley.

END VALLEY VISIT

HARLINGEN—Mr. and Mrs. Art Ulberg have returned to their home in Sioux Falls, S. D., after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Evans. Mrs. Ulberg and Mrs. Evans are sisters.

Willis Gray Will Join Flying Corps

EDINBURG—Willis Wayne Gray of Edinburg has been ordered to report to the naval aviation corps in Florida not later than April 15 for advanced aviation training.

Gray received a private flyer's license after completing a civilian pilot training course at McAllen. He recently returned from Pensacola, Fla., where he passed his physical examination.

Navy Recruit Home

PHARR—John Howton, graduate of Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School in the class of 1936, who has been in the Navy for the last four years, was back in Pharr this week visiting with friends. He has been stationed on the U. S. S. Oglala, a minelayer, for the last two years, with a home base of Pearl Harbor, T. H. His rank is a coxswain, which places him in charge of boats, deck seamanship, and gunnery. He starred in football and basketball at P-SJ-A high school.

Man Is Sentenced For Woman's Death

EDINBURG — Pedro Najera of Mercedes was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary by District Judge Bryce Ferguson Friday afternoon on a plea of guilty to driving while intoxicated and involuntary murder.

Najera was indicted on the latter charge in connection with the traffic death of Mrs. Chandida Garcia McVey, 55, Mercedes, near here last February 16.

Free Entertainment

BROWNSVILLE—A free entertainment program will be given for Brownsville tourists at the Presbyterian Church at 3 p.m. Monday, it was announced Friday at the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce.

ALABAMA VISITOR LEAVES

McALLEN—Mrs. Eric Gillerstedt of Dothan, Ia., returned home Friday after spending several weeks visiting her mother, Mrs. Flora B. Shea, and aunt, Mrs. A. J .McColl, in McAllen.

German Mother, 30, Boasts 11 Children

DANZIG, Germany —(AP)—Eleven children at 30 years of age is the record of Frau Margarete Bhend, wife of a laborer. She has been awarded the golden mothers' cross. Three sets of twins, all girls, and five other children make up the family. Hitler was named sponsor for the latest twins.

Coca, a narcotic plant, is widely chewed by the native population of South America.

All Offspring Of Leroy, Famed Dairy Bull Owned By The San Benito C-C, Slated For Livestock Show April 10-12

HARLINGEN — As an added feature for the Valley Fair Livestock and Poultry Show on April 10-11-12 in Harlingen, plans are being made to have on display all of the offsprings of Leroy ,the famed Dairy Bull owned by the San Benito Chamber of Commerce, according to Harry Ratliff, manager.

All of the animals on exhibit in the display will have been produced by artificial insemination which is the method of breeding followed by the Valley Dairy Improvement Association. Harvey Richards, manager of Hygeia Milk Company, is arranging for the exhibit, and estimates there are approximately one hundred animals now in the Valley eligible for the show. Contacts are being made with the owners of animals in the Valley, and Mr. Richards stated he expected a sizeable group for the show.

Officials of the Harlingen Show recently announced that Valley Dairy Day would be held on April 12, which will be in conjunction with the exhibition, and feel it will add much to the attraction features of the show. The Dairy Day is held each year in the Valley and is sponsored by the Extension Department of A. and M. College, under the supervision of E. R. Eudaley, dairyman of the college.

The premium committee has completed the list of cash awards to be offered in the various classes, and the premiums will appear in the Star early next week. Premium lists will also be mailed to cattlemen, F.F.A. Chapters and 4-H Clubs throughout the Valley, as many requests have been received by the management.

Chas. A. Washmon, president of the Fair Association, sponsers of the Show, stated that the auction sale would be emphasized and that W. T. Hodge had been appointed to be in charge of this phase. Efforts are being made now to secure a number of outstanding buyers to be present at the sale in order to assure the exhibitors the best of prices available for their animals.

Ralph Hutchins, Willacy County Agent, chairman of the Cattle Department, reports that over one hundred animals will be entered in the show from Willacy County, and estimated that at least one hundred and fifty more from other sections of the Valley will be entered, as the boys and cattlemen are interested in placing their entries where they can receive a good price. All entries must be in by April 9, Mr. Hutchins stated and must be on the grounds by 10:00 a.m. on April 10

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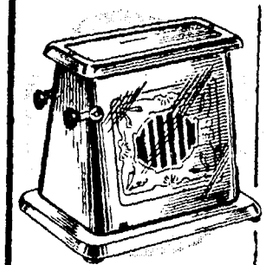

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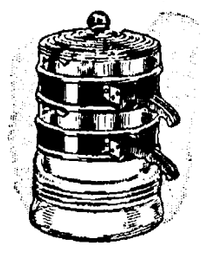

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M'ALLEN GAS PLANT SHOWS $134 PROFIT

$1,600 Is Received In Two Months

McALLEN — Without including February receipts, net profits from the first two months of the McAllen municipal gas system's operations were $134.81, C. D. Martin, secretary of the gas board, announced Saturday.

February receipts will be published when billing to the 13 firms connected on the municipal line is completed, Martin explained.

Gross income for the first two months of operations totaled $1,661.85. Disbursements totaled $1,527.04 leaving a net profit of $134.81.

Largest single disbursement was $440.03, the first payment on notes totaling $14,857.30, the cost of the installation of the system. Regulators of the system at the well cost $436.25, the other major disbursement for the new firm.

Otherwise paid out to make a total of $1,527.04 was: operating labor, $100; operating supplies, $213.93; stationery and printing, $03.75; telegraph and telephone, $8.08; miscellaneous office expense, $11; and insurance premium, $226.

For gas used during December the firm received $657.45 with January business totaling $937.73. An advance payment of $66.67 by the schiol district for fuel for both the Lincoln and Junior high schools was included on money received. The advance payment was made on the school's pro-rata rate for the gas.

From now on the retirement of notes will be greater, Martin explained, since most of the disbursements were made for materials necessary to initiate operations.

Bills tendered to firms connected to the line are determined by the amount their respective gas bills were for 12 months period to their connection to the municipal system. Canning and ice plants connected municipally pay on a case basis with other firms operating on a flat rate.

Surplus Foods

Commodities Listed During March

EDINBURG—Travis S. Masterson, Hidalgo county food stamp plan representative, said Saturday that continued variety in surplus foods which will be available to families taking part in the plan was assured by the surplus designations for the March 1-31 period.

These are the surplus foods obtainable at local stores in exchange for blue surplus food stamps:

Fresh grapefruit, oranges, apples, pears, onions (except green onions), Irish potatoes, butter, raisins, rice, pork, lard, all pork (except that cooked or packed in metal or glass containers), cornmeal, shell eggs, dried prunes, hominy (corn) grits, dry edible beans, wheat flour, and whole wheat (Graham) flour.

Cafe Cook Arrested In 'Hot Check' Case

BROWNSVILLE — Preliminary hearing will be held Monday before Justice of the Peace Fred Recio for Johnny Saxon, transient cook who came here some time ago from New Mexico, and who has been arrested on a charge of forgery.

Saxon was arrested late Friday by Chief Deputy Sheriff Will Cabler, and placed in the county jail pending hearing.

The charge, filed by Cabler, alleges that Saxon forged a check in the sum of $12.50 on Mrs. C. A. Ansley of the Ansley Grill. The check was cashed at the Embassy Grill. Saxon had worked for a few days at Ansley's Grill as a cook during the Charro Days rush.

Saxon gave his age as 40.

Annual Material Sent To Printer

McALLEN—C. H. Britton, Jr., editor of the McAllen High School Annual, El Espejo, said Saturday that the final printing order and the feature section of the book will be sent to the Steck Publishing Company at Austin Tuesday.

He said the eight school favorites and the runners-up will make up the 16 pages of the second section. The third and final section will be sent off April 1.

Johnnie Suttle, co-business manager with Aileen Harding, said 275 annuals will be ordered, although only 206 have been sold.

McAllen Receives Letter From Secretary Credit

McALLEN—E. E. Chamness of Kingsville, state school inspector of district No. 24, has awarded McAllen high school an extra credit in secretarial training, Principal A. M. Weir said Saturday. Chamness visited here last February 21.

Weir said the class will meet for two periods five times a week, instead of two periods four times a week as it had previously done. The school lost a credit in Latin I and II and Spanish III because they are not taught, since there is no demand.

Rollins To Speak At Science Meet

McALLEN—Elmer Rollins, McAllen high school chemistry instructor, will speak on "The Natural Vegetation Areas of California" at the meeting of the South Texas division of the Texas Academy of Science at Edinburg April 25 and 26.

Rollins worked on the paper last summer at the University of Southern California

McAllen Prepares Program Marking Rubinoff's Visit

Rubinoff, master of the violin, is pictured here as he will appear Wednesday afternoon and night at concerts in McAllen, sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of McAllen. The hours are 3 p. m. for the matinee and 8 p. m.

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McALLEN — Ticket sales sped ahead Saturday as the McAllen Kiwanis club completed arrangements for the presentation Wednesday afternoon and night of Dave Rubinoff, nationally famous violinist, in two concerts whose proceeds will be used to aid underprivileged children.

The Kiwanians are sponsoring the event as the first major entertainment project of its kind for the community.

Reserved seats for the night performance are on sale at the Young Music store, and considerably more than half the seats in the auditorium have been taken. School students, meanwhile, are purchasing tickets for the special 3 p. m. matinee Wednesday at which they and their teachers will be admitted for 25 cents. Tickets for the matinee are in the hands of all school principals in McAllen, and in addition have been supplied to high school principals at Mission, Sharyland, Pharr-San Juan-Alamo and Edinburg. Students from other schools may purchase them at these places or, if large groups care to attend, may call Kenneth Alley in McAllen, who will furnish them with blocks of tickets.

Clyde Hollon and J. P. King are in charge of the reserved seat sale. Both said Saturday a complete sellout was possible by Wednesday afternoon. All matinee tickets must be obtained not later than Tuesday, since they will be called in that afternoon.

Rubinoff, who will be accompanied by Solito de Solis, for years a famous European pianist, will be guest of honor at a joint meeting of Rotary, Lions and Kiwanis clubs of McAllen Wednesday at a luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel. He is due to arrive Wednesday morning. At the same luncheon, Homer L. Leonard, speaker of the state House of Representatives, will be presented with the Valley Evening Monitor plaque of 1940, emblematic of his citation as the "most valuable citizen" of McAllen during that year.

Rubinoff's appearance in McAllen will be the first he has made in this part of Texas in many years. He will go from McAllen Wednesday night to Laredo, where he is booked for a concert Thursday.

CHURCH MEET SET FRIDAY

Methodist Women To Install Officers

MISSION—Officers will be installed and an inspirational program presented for the 125 Methodist women who attend the West (Hidalgo county) Zone meeting of the organization, to be held in Mercedes Friday, March 7, Mrs. M. L. Laycock, McAllen, will be installed as president and Mrs. F. W. Dooley, Mission, as vice president and program chairman. Representatives of 10 Methodist church women's groups in the county will attend the all-day session which will be held in the First Methodist church of Mercedes, opening at 9:30 a. m.

A program has been arranged by Mrs. Dooley to include:

9:30 a. m.—Registration.

9:50 a. m.—Organ prelude, Mrs. Paul Shotwell, Mercedes; welcome, Mrs. T. J. Rippert, Mercedes. Response, Mrs. Ralph Morgan, Weslaco. Installation of officers, Mrs. J. C. Lovern, Edinburg. Business session, Mrs. M. L. Laycock, McAllen. Special number, Mercedes. Quiet meditation, Mrs. A. A. Bentsen, Mission.

Lunch—Mercedes W. S. C. S.—25 cents.

1:10 p. m.—Organ prelude, Mrs. Paul Shotwell, Mercedes. Hymn. Report of committees. Open forum, Mrs. R. S. Chambers, Donna. Presentation of Methodist women, Mrs. Elise B. Sharpe, Edinburg. Our Conference Institutions, Mrs. M. D. Bormann, McAllen. Story, selected, Mrs. E. C. Phillips, Pharr. Benediction, Rev. J. W. Allbritten, Mercedes.

President Of Chile Censured By Party

SANTIAGO, Chile—(AP)—President Pedro Aguirre Cedra drew censure from his own party Saturday as he attempted on the eve of congressional elections to conciliate dissident socialist elements in Chile's crumbling united front government.

The central committee of the radical party protested the dismissal by Aguirre of radical state social insurance directors whose actions were said to have provoked three socialist ministers to resign Friday.

Rio Grande City Man Hurt By Car

RIO GRANDE CITY—Antonio del Rio, Rio Grande City barber, was convalescing Saturday from injuries received Wednesday night when struck by a car driven by F. A. Hornaday, Jr., on Main street here.

Hornaday stopped and rendered aid. Officers said the accident was unavoidable. Del Rio sustained a broken leg and arm and several broken ribs.

RECOVERING

RAYMONDVILLE — C. E. Craig of Lyford who has been very ill is out again and receiving the good wishes of his friends on his compete recovery

U. S. OFFERS 2 POSITIONS

Constructors, Press Operators Sought

HARLINGEN—Civil Service examinations for two positions have been announced by the United States Civil Service Commission Friday. Applications will be accepted at the Commission's Washington office not later than the closing dates specified. The salaries are subject to a three and one-half retirement deduction.

Construction Superintendent

Examinations are for: Superintendent of construction, various grades, with salaries ranging from $3,200 to $5,600 a year. Qualified persons are urged to file application immediately, which will be rated as received until December 31, 1941.

The duties involve the direction of foremen, laborers and mechanics on large construction projects. Appointees will inspect materials and workmanship and organize men and materials for efficient construction operations. They must have had broad and responsible experience in general construction work including supervisory experience.

Lithograph Pressmen

Lithographic pressmen, various grades, with salaries ranging from $1,440 to $2,000 a year. The duties include operating lithographic power presses in the reproduction of maps and charts. Apprenticeship as printing pressman or practical experience in the trade is required. Closing dates are March 24 and 27, 1941, the extra time being allowed for applications sent from Colorado and states westward.

Full information as to the requirements for these examinations and application forms may be obtained from Frank Lee, secretary of the board of examiners at the postoffice in Harlingen.

Airport Caller

Business Agent Flies To Honduras

BROWNSVILLE—Howland Bancroft of New York City, who has spent most of his professional career in Latin American and European countries, passed through Brownsville airport Saturday morning on his way to Tegucigalpa, Honduras, where he will spend approximately two weeks on business.

Mr. Bancroft serves as consultant for several Latin American enterprises.

Valley Publicized In Mexican Capital

McALLEN—El Universal and Excelsior, Mexico City newspapers, carried pictures and stories on the opening of the new Reynosa-Hidalgo bridge.

Copies of the papers have been received by the McAllen chamber of commerce. The articles were written by Bill Goolsby of Mexico City, and publicized the Reynosa-Monterrey highway.

McAllen chamber officials said more persons are using the Reynosa-Monterrey highway now than ever before for this time of year.

MRS. KING LEAVES

COMBES—Mrs. A. P. King, Sr., has returned to her home in Bienneville, La., after spending several weeks here visiting in the homes of her sons, H. M. and A. P., Jr.

Heard The Latest? So Has Camp Dix

AP Feature Service

FORT DIX, N. J.—The weekly gossip sessions of the ladies' sewing circle haven't a thing on the grapevine telegraph that buzzes around Fort Dix.

Officers get headaches from scotching rumors, tracing down reports and wondering what yarn is going to start next in the fertile minds of 18,000 youths undergoing army training here.

Sometimes the stories are built up from a few unrelated facts. Take one that gained wide circulation — "We're going to Newfoundland." Division headquarters found it started because a call was issued for accomplished skiers. Actually, the men are to become instructors if and when skis are issued.

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Then there was the one, "We're being sent to Puerto Rico." Somebody in the warehouse saw a dozen light tan shirts. The dozen shirts quickly grew into full tropical uniforms for 18,000 men, with sun helmets due on the next train!

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Some of the stories excite the camp for a day, fade and then reappear in slightly altered form. Such was the "poison fang case" wherein scores of young warriors were felled by snakebite. One man was reported to have turned as blue as your denim overalls. Nobody could find him, but they say the same snake still is knocking the boys off every day out in the surrounding pinelands. In fact (so the story goes) that's why they burned off the artillery range!

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Next pops up the one about the 'flu.—"Doctors are helpless as troops drop like flies." The story persists in mess halls and barracks although almost everyone turns up for meals regularly, and Lieut. Col. Edgar F. Haines, post surgeon, insists there has been no influenza.

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Another standby is about "The Rifled Mail Pouch" or "Censorship Rears Its Ugly Head." A man in New York's 87th brigade got a letter on which "o.k." was pencilled. Immediately all incoming and outgoing mail was being "closely inspected by the authorities." Major General Clifford R. Powell, commandant of the fort and the 44th division, held a press conference to squelch that one.

A heroic bit of tattle concerns "the alert young sentry who shot down a would-be poisoner just as the water tank was being polluted." That "fifth columnist" (the stories go) has died many deaths, plunging down 125 feet from the tower, riddled and torn by pistol, rifle and machine gun bullets. Sometimes he has an accomplice who also meets a bloody end.

General Powell wishes somebody would start a rumor to end all rumors.

All Must Sacrifice For Britain's Aid, War Secretary Says

WASHINGTON— (AP) —Sacrifices on the part of all Americans will be necessary to carry out the program of assistance to Britain provided in the administration's British aid bill, is the expressed opinion of Robert P. Patterson, undersecretary of war.

"Passage of the lease-lend bill is only the start of effective aid to England," the War Department official told the Federal Bar Association here Friday night. "It is merely the enunciation of our policy."

Dallas Trade Trip To Visit In Valley

HARLINGEN—The Dallas trade trip, which will include the Valley for the first time in several years, will leave that city the night of Easter Sunday, April 13, and return to Dallas Friday night, April 19, according to word received here this week.

Good will, entertainment and renewal of business acquaintances are the principal purposes of the annual trip sponsored by the Dallas Chamber of Commerce and Dallas Manufacturers and Wholesalers Association.

Overnight stops are scheduled at Harlingen and McAllen in the Valley.

ONE-ACT PLAY HEAD CHOSEN

Irwin Will Direct District Meet

McALLEN — J. Lee Stambaugh, Pharr-San Juan-Alamo school superintendent, has appointed Don E. Irwin, McAllen high school dramatics instructor, district director of the Interscholastic League one-act play contest to be held at Edinburg the first week in April.

Irwin was graduated from the McAllen high school in 1932, was graduated from the University of Texas with a B. S. degree in education, and became a McAllen faculty members in 1939.

Schools which are eligible to enter the contest are Brownsville, Edinburg, Harlingen and McAllen, and the winners of the various county meets. McAllen's entry will be "Antic Spring," with a cast composed of Donald Blair, Grace Delamater, Fred Pierce, Johnie Earl Suttle, Kay Wharton and Mary Claire Weir. Weslaco won the county and district meets last year and second at the regional meet.

GUEST OF DAUGHTER

COMBES—Mrs. W. A. Brown of Houston is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Quincy Adams.

President Of KRGV Is Elected Head Of Broadcasting Group

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—O. L. Taylor of Amarillo, president of the Sunshine Broadcasting Company, Inc., and the Plains Radio Broadcasting Company, was re-elected to his third term as director of the National Association of Broadcasters from the 13th district Friday when 47 delegates from 22 Texas stations held their annual district meeting here.

The delegates unanimously resolved at the meeting to "pledge our positive allegiance to Broadcast Music, Inc., "the marketing and licensing organization set up to rival the American Society of Composers, authors and publishers.

VISITING PARENTS

RAYMONDVILLE — Mrs. David Mahood and yonng son Mike of Houston is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crane.

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CITY WELFARE IS DISCUSSED

Regional Meeting Is Held At Edinburg

EDINBURG—Walter Whitson of Houston, director of the family welfare agency of that city, stressed the community aspects of welfare work when he addressed the region No. 7 meeting of the Texas Social Welfare Association at the First Methodist church here Saturday night.

Whitson substituted for Dr. Robert L. Sutherland, director of the Hogg Foundation, University of Texas, who was unable to attend.

The session opened at 2:30 p. m. by Mrs. Franklin W. Hughes of Weslaco, region No. 7 chairman. Rev. J. C. Lovern, Methodist pastor, gave the invocation.

Daniel Russell, head of the department of rural sociology of Texas A. and M. College and president of the association, spoke on "Basic Social Needs of Our Texas Communities." He was followed by T. Lester Swander, executive director of the Corpus Christi Community Chest, who talked on "Community Mobilization for Social Betterment."

The ladies of the Methodist church served a supper at 6:30 p. m. Hershell Hunt, managing editor of the Laredo Times, was unable to attend, as scheduled.

SON TO DOUGLAS

BROWNSVILLE—A boy weighing nine pounds, 12 ounces, was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. S. Douglas of Bryan, Texas. Mrs. Douglas is the former Helen Genevieve Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ross of Brownsville.

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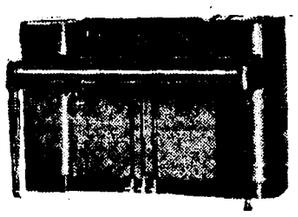

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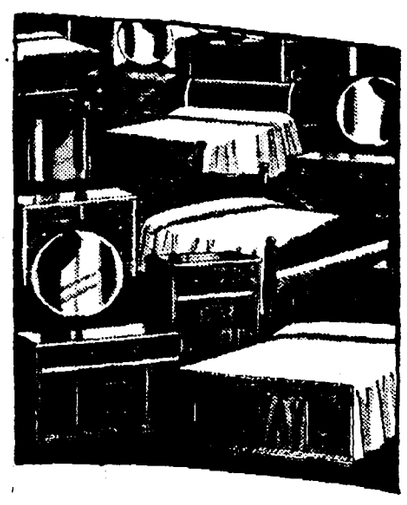

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Thousands Crowd Brownsville's Streets To See Childrens' Parade

In The Center Of The Above Air View Can Be Seen The Children's Parade In Brownsville Saturday. Note The Blocked Off Streets Where The Children's Parade Makes Turn

TOTS PARADE HELD SATURDAY

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profession, and approximately 20,000 persons saw it from the sidelines.

Streets were so packed with onlookers that a crew of Boy Scouts and a special sound truck had to be employed in an effort to move the crowds back so the marchers could have enough room to move.

Color bearers headed the procession, which left Fort Brown's main gate promptly at 2 p. m. for its downtown jaunt. Mr. Fanning was next in line, riding in a bright yellow midget car driven by a young lady attired as a Spanish matador.

The Brownsville Junior band came next, attired in China and Charo garb, followed by bearers of Mexican flags, who were roundly cheered by the enthusiastic crowd.

Matamoros College

Behind the Mexican flag bearers came the drum and bugle corps of the Colegio Mexico, of Matamoros, attractive in blue and white uniforms, and followed by several hundred students of Matamoros schools.

United States and Mexican officials, including Carlos A. Calderon, Mexican consul here, and E. C. Dodd, superintendent of local public schools, marched next.

Then came Brownsville school children attired as Indians—peaceful Mayans, warlike Aztecs and doddering Little Old Men—followed by students in costumes of Spanish explorers, bullfighters and other dress typical of Spain and its history.

Their golden uniforms flashing in the sun, the 60-piece Brownsville high school Eagle band pranced by after this aggregation and was followed by more school children attired as Chinas and Charros in Mexican State costumes.

Raymondville Band

Next in line was the 60-piece Raymondville high school band, led by Ralph Davis as drum major and three twirlers — Darlene Spoonemore, June Page and Marian Kennedy.

Colorful groups of Xochimildo flower girls, Rancheros, Vendors, Peons and other Pan American types, all from Brownsville schools, followed the Raymondville band, and were in turn followed by a delegation of costumed Blalack school children.

A highlight of the parade was the 50-piece Lyford high school band in snappy blue and white uniforms. Following this musical group were students of St. Joseph's Academy, Immaculate Conception grammar school, the convent school and St. Francis school.

Adding their bit to the festivities, the quick-stepping Los Fresnos high school Falcon band was next, attired in maroon sweaters and military caps.

The parade was completed with delegations from Villa Nueva, Palm Grove, Nogales and El Jardin schools.

Mr. Fanning commended all students, teachers and others who aided in presentation of the delayed Charro Days event, declaring that "it was a demonstration of countless hours of love labor."

"We are grateful to one and all of those who helped us entertain the thousands of spectators with this brilliant spectacle, and we hope to have an even bigger and better parade for next year," he stated.

The emperor penguin is often equal in weight to a timber wolf.

Shown Above, Left To Right Are, The Drum And Bugle Corps From Collegia de Mexico of Matamoros, Officials Of Mexico And The United States And A Group Of Chinas

DRAFTING OF CITRUS LAWS IS LAUNCHED

Six Points Included In Legislation

McALLEN — E. A. McDaniel, McAllen attorney, and Sam Greer, Mission attorney, have begun drafting new citrus legislation agreed upon by committees of growers, shippers and canners at a meeting Friday night in McDaniel's office and incorporating six points which have been under discussion for some time.

Sub-Groups Named

Sub-committees of growers, shippers and canners were appointed to work with the attorneys and it was hoped that the legislation would be completed by Friday.

Owen Council is chairman of the grower committee and A. L. Cramer of the shipper committee while the canners are represented by Glen G. White, president of the South Texas Canners Association.

Six Points

The six points agreed upon were as follows:

1. Creation of an official body or citrus commission to enable the industry to regulate its own affairs.
2. Improved quality of fruit through strengthened maturity requirements.
3. A minimum price law.
4. An advertising and merchandising program to sell increased production at better prices.
5. Strengthened bonding and licensing law.
6. Standardization of containers.

Valley 'Together'

According to E. W. Linnard of McAllen, member of the legislative committee the Valley citrus industry, after years of bickering, has finally gotten together for the common good.

"The broad purpose of the program is to increase returns to growers and stabilize the entire industry," Linnard said. "With all of us forgetting our own selfish interests and working for the good of the deal we are certain to make progress."

The citrus commission being considered would be composed of practical citrus men who know Valley problems. There would be 13 members of whom seven would be growers, three shippers and three canners. Members would be nominated by each group with nominations going to the governor for appointment.

Commission Authority

The commission would have the authority to:

1. Establish rules and regulations for carrying out the intent of all citrus legislation with the commissioner of agriculture as the enforcement officer.
2. To hold public hearings or referenda on important industry problems.
3. To co-operate with government agencies and other citrus areas in developing plans to increase returns to the growers.
4. To administer laws specifically delegated to it.
5. To accumulate facts on production, processing, distribution and merchandising of citrus and to pass this information on to the growers.

New Valley Idea

As new as the citrus commission idea is to the Valley citrus area is the proposed legislation covering advertising, merchandising and a research program. To make advertising effective, it is felt that it should be supported by facts obtained through consumer research, laboratory research and group experiments to find new uses for citrus and determine medicinal values.

The plans of the three groups call for a good deal of permissive legislation, it was pointed out. Although the proposed citrus commission would have the authority to adopt a number of different policies, it could do so only with the consent of the industry as expressed at hearings or through referenda. Conditions being different each season, the industry might consider advertising or other regulations beneficial one season and not needed another season. The nature of the legislation would make it possible to adjust regulations to suit conditions, it was explained.

Loeb To Report

Hotel Man Called To Palacios Camp

HARLINGEN— E. Noel Loeb of Harlingen, a lieutenant in the Officers Reserve Corps, has been ordered to report for duty with the U. S. Army. He has been assigned to Company A, 72nd Quartermaster Battalion, and will be stationed for a year at Camp Hulen near Palacios, Texas.

Loeb, who came here in November, 1939, is comptroller for three Valley hotels, the Madison in Harlingen, the Cortez in Weslaco and the Donna in Donna. He came to the Valley from Okmulgee, Okla., where he was manager of the Parkinson Hotel. He formerly was affiliated with the LaSalle, Shoreland and Pearson hotels in Chicago.

He graduated from St. John's Military Academy in Delafield, Wis., and attended Northwestern University school of journalism. Loeb has been in the hotel business for the past 10 years.

Mrs. Noel Loeb, mother of Lieut. Loeb, who has been here a few months, plans to reside in Houston until suitable accommodations for her are located nearer her son.

MRS. MITCHELL BETTER

PHARR—Mrs. Thomas Mitchell who underwent a major operation in the McAllen City Hospital, Saturday, is reported to be doing satisfactorily.

2-Year-Old Johnny Carlisle Makes Long Plane Trip To Chicago Alone

Rejoins His Parents First Time In 18 Months Here

BROWNSVILLE — It's a long, long way to Chicago from Brownsville, but distance meant nothing Saturday to two-year-old John Carlisle, Jr., because he was going to see his parents for the first time in 18 months.

Johnny arrived at the Brownsville airport about noon Saturday accompanied by his grandmother, Mrs. W. E. Brickman of Weslaco, and right away became acquainted with Miss Alicia Romero, Braniff hostess who was hired to take care of Johnny on his long plane trip. Miss Romero is the type of young lady that any male, big or small, would like to have take care of him.

The lad's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle, Sr., were at the Chicago airport at 11:38 p. m. Saturday to get Johnny and the meeting there was a happy one.

Johnny's father works in the traffic department of the Ford Motor Car assembly plant at Hegewisch, Ill., near Chicago.

The youngster, wide-eyed and excited about his plane trip kissed his grandmother goodbye after pointing out on the map where he was going and climbed aboard Braniff Airways' noon liner for Chicago. He had just eaten before coming to the airport and when the plane arrived at Dallas about 4 p. m. he was served a meal of hot Cream of Wheat cereal, prunes and warm milk, all prepared by Braniff Airways.

The lad's grandfather was unable to come to the airport with Johnny, but he said his goodbye before they left Weslaco. His grandfather is Reverend W. E. Brickman, of the Church of New Jerusalem at Weslaco.

It may be a long time before Johnny gets back to visit with his grandparents, but it will be a long time before he forgets them and the wonderful time he had growing up in the Valley

Little Johnny Carlisle was in good hands when he left Brownsville Saturday for his first visit with his parents in 18 months. He is shown on the steps of a Braniff airliner on his way to Chicago, with Miss Alicia Romero, Braniff hostess hired by his parents to take care of the lad on the trip. He had been visiting his grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Brickman of Weslaco, for the past 18 months. (Photo by Stone.)

TEXAS-EXES ELECT ROWE

Annual Banquet Held In McAllen

McALLEN—Homer W. Rowe of McAllen was elected president of the University of Texas Ex-Students Association of the Valley, at annual association banquet held at the Casa de Palmas here Saturday night. He succeeds Menton J. Murray of Harlingen. Total of 66 were present. The 1942 banquet will be held March 2 in Harlingen.

Other officers elected included Roger Robinson of Raymondville, vice president, and Linda Gillis of McAllen, secretary. Paul Brown of Harlingen was re-elected councilman to the ex-students association.

John McCurdy, executive secretary of the Texas Ex-Students Association, was the principal speaker, talking on records and work of the association and activities at the university. Felix McDonald of Edinburg led group singing, with Mary Everhard of McAllen as accompanist. Short talks, mostly humorous and reminiscent, were given by Ty Cobb, Judge Rogers Blalock, Judge Bryce Ferguson, Paul T. Vickers and Tom L. Hartley.

Brownsville Woman Injured In Mishap

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. A. N. Para, wife of Dr. A. N. Para of the Public Health Service, sustained a compound fracture of the right leg above the ankle about 6:30 p. m. Saturday, when her sedan was in collision with a coupe driven by Claudio Ortiz, at corner of Palm boulevard and Monroe street. Both were taken to Mercy Hospital where Ortiz, a battery shop operator, was treated for head hurts.

The crash was investigated by State Highway Patrolman J. O. Musick. County Traffic Officer Zipper Lee and City Officer S. B. McCreary.

Harlingen Man Sent To Pensacola Base

HARLINGEN — Ensign D. C. Knock, son of Mrs. Charles H. Chandler of Harlingen, has been ordered to report at the Naval Air Base at Pensacola, Fla., on March 15, according to word received here Saturday.

Knock was a member of the 1932 graduating class at Annapolis, and since that time has been a member of the Naval Officers Reserve Corps. He is now commanding officer of the C.C.C. camp at Skull Creek, Colo.

McAllen Residence Ransacked Saturday

McALLEN—The home of L. B Coffen at 1922 Date Palm avenue, was ransacked between 8 and 8:30 p. m. Saturday, while Mr. and Mrs. Coffen were in town buying groceries, they reported to police here Saturday night.

Clothes, a radio, clock and camera were among articles taken, valued by Coffen at more than $150. Apparently the thieves entered by the back door. Coffen said a hole in the back screen would permit anyone to reach through and unlatch the back door. Chief of Police Noah Cannon and Constable John Bales were working on the case Saturday night.

ATTENDS CONVENTION

COMBES—W. T. Staton, Jr., went to San Antonio this week to attend a convention.

WEATHER

(Official U. S. Weather Bureau Forecasts)

THE VALLEY: Considerable cloudiness Sunday; Monday occasional rains. Moderate to fresh southeast winds.

ARKANSAS: Partly cloudy, warmer in east and south portion Sunday; Monday cloudy, occasional rains, colder in north and west portion.

EAST TEXAS: Considerable cloudiness Sunday; Monday occasional rains, somewhat colder in north and west-central portion. Moderate to fresh southeast winds on the coast.

MISSOURI: Increasing cloudiness, warmer except west central portions Sunday; Monday light rain, much colder.

KANSAS: Increasing cloudiness followed by light rains west and north central, warmer north central, colder extreme west Sunday; Monday cloudy, light rain east portion, much colder.

OKLAHOMA: Increasing cloudiness, followed by light rain northwest and extreme west, colder extreme west portions Sunday; Monday cloudy, light rain east portion, much colder.

The tides for Sunday: high tides at 6:10 a.m. and 5:39 p.m. low tides at 11:57 a.m.

Sunrise Sunday 6:53 a.m. Sunset 6:32 p.m.

STATION	Highest last 24 hours	Lowest last Night	Precipitation (Inches)
Abilene	68	47	.00
Albuquerque	65	35	.00
Amarillo	69	38	.00
Albany, N. Y.	21	18	.04
Atlanta	37	22	.00
Boston	35	31	.13
Chicago	29	16	.01
Cincinnati	29	16	.00
Cleveland	25	15	.00
Corpus Christi	66	44	.00
Del Rio	69	47	.00
Denver	68	44	.00
Detroit	25	11	.00
Dodge City	34	30	.00
El Paso	72	42	.00
Fort Worth	65	40	.00
Galveston	62	46	.00
Havre, Mont.	54	17	.00
Huron	30	21	.00
Jacksonville	52	28	.00
Kansas City	38	29	.00
Los Angeles	65	52	2.87
Memphis	37	26	.00
Miami	65	42	.00
Mobile	49	29	.00
Mpls. St. P.	28	17	.00
New Orleans	56	35	.00
New York City	26	20	.22
Norfolk	31	20	.06
North Platte	45	25	.00
Oklahoma City	54	35	.00
Palestine	66	40	.00
Phoenix	81	56	.00
Pittsburgh	23	10	.01
St. Louis	32	20	.00
Salt Lake City	58	50	.00
San Antonio	69	38	.00
Sheridan	63	36	.00
Shreveport	54	33	.00
Tampa	88	40	.00
Washington	27	20	.00
Williston	47	23	.00
Wilmington, N. C.	39	27	.00

Congratulations

To Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cradit on birth of a son weighing 9 pounds 3 ounces, at 3:15 a. m. Saturday at Medical Arts Clinic. The child has been named Edwin Errol.

To Mr. and Mrs. Barney McCasland on the birth of a 7-pound son at 11:44 a. m. Saturday at the Medical Arts Clinic. The boy has been named Barney, Jr.

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Harvester Strikers To Confer Monday

By The Associated Press

Strikers and the International Harvester Company management agreed Saturday to meet with Secretary Perkins in Washington Monday in an endeavor to settle a dispute holding up several million dollars' worth of defense contracts.

Plants Involved

Four plants of the company are involved in strikes, called by the CIO farm equipment workers organizing committee. The Labor Department estimated that 13,000 men are idle. Workers walked out of the huge McCormick plant at Chicago on Friday. There are strikes also at another Chicago plant and at Richmond, Ind., and Rock Falls, Ill. The union demands include recognition as collective bargaining agent for the employes and wage adjustments.

Another strike of direct interest to the government was settled during the day. CIO union employes of the Troy, N. Y., plant of Cluett, Peabody and Company, holding a $228,000 contract for army shirts, approved a new contract and voted to go back to work Monday. The new contract provides for wage increases. Strikers at company plants in Atlanta, Ga., and Leominister, Mass., were to meet later to consider acceptance of the contract for their locals.

U. S. Presses Efforts

The government, meanwhile, pressed its efforts at both Washington and Milwaukee to bring an end to the strike at the Allis-Chalmers Company plant, where work on $45,000,000 worth of defense contracts has been held up for six weeks. That strike was predicated on demands for union security, wage increases and certain seniority adjustments.

FROM OKLAHOMA

RIO GRANDE CITY — Mr. and Mrs. Omer Jefferson and son of Fairfax, Okla., were the guests of Lieutenant and Mrs. T. A. Ragan Monday and Tuesday.

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TRUCK BILL'S PASSAGE SEEN

45,000-Pound Limit Held Probable

AUSTIN — Emerging from the doldrums of many years of apathy, legislation designed to increase the truck load limit from a miserly 7,000 pounds to a probable gross of seven times that figure, appared to be facing clear sailing under the guidance of the Dirt Farmers Congress Saturday as a progressive and fairly harmonious legislature took off for the week-end.

First Break In Decade

"The outlook for a safe and sensible law giving farmers and stockmen of the state and the first fair break they have had in the past decade in getting their products to market in an economical way is most promising," Bailey B. Ragsdale, president of the Dirt Farmers Congress, who has taken the lead in the fight to place trucking limits of Texas on a par with those enjoyed by all other states of the nation, said enthusiastically Saturday after reviewing the progress of the bill in the two Houses.

The House last week, riding on the crest of a comfortable majority, set the measure fairly far down towards the home stretch with the bill retaining all scientific provisions and with a gross load limit of 35,000 pounds. A Senate committee, following a thorough hearing on all provisions of the bill, went the House one better by voting the measure out for consideration within a few days with a gross limit of 48,000 pounds. Final action before the Senate proper is expected within the next week or ten days, and its backers are confidently predicting that action will be taken not later than March 5.

Ragsdale was high in his praise of the splendid cooperation given his organization in shepherding the measure through the legislative channels and lauded the splendid leadership manifested by both House and Senate leaders and particularly the authors of the bill, Representative Lonnie Alsup, of Carthage, and Senator Rogers Kelley, of Edinburg.

From all present indications those becking the measure were confidently predicting Saturday that the measure would finally be enacted into law with a probable ceiling in excess of 45,000 pounds.

Teachers In Mexico Warned By Camacho

MEXICO CITY — (AP) — Mexican school teachers were cautioned Saturday by President Avila Camacho against "deviating" from their educational responsibilities to participate in political or syndical "battles producing discord and unrest."

The union representing the republic's 80,000 teachers has been one of the most militant in the entire country, object of charges of inculcating leftist doctrines in the schools and center of numerous strikes.

French Now Seeking More Food From US

WASHINGTON—(AP)—As reduced bread rations became effective in unoccupied France, Gaston Henry-Haye, the French ambassador, renewed efforts Saturday to obtain food from this country.

Henry-Haye discussed the question with Sumner Welles, undersecretary of State, with whom he has conducted a series of talks designed to enlist the friendly offices of the United States in having the British blockade lifted.

ELIER IS KILLED

HOUSTON—(AP)—J. G. Parrish of Houston, an amateur flier, died in the crash of an airplane 50 miles north of here Friday.

FATHER IS ILL

RAYMONDVILLE — Mrs. Jack Wrigley was called to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Veiss in Caldwell this week because of the illness of her father.

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The excitement was just too much for Ginger Rogers (left) when she was named the movies' champion actress for 1940 for her characterization of "Kitty Foyle," so she broke down in tears over her "Oscar" (foreground) when she got back to her table at the Motion Picture Academy Awards banquet in Hollywood. Her mother, Mrs. Leila Rogers (center), was also at the weepy stage, as David Hempstead, her producer, tried to soothe both happy women.

Texans Will Celebrate Independence Sunday At Washington-On-Brazos

BRENHAM—(AP)—On the sacred soil where illustrious forefathers gathered 105 years ago to declare a new and independent Texas republic, a band of Texans will gather Sunday to celebrate.

Storied, historic old Washington-On-The-Brazos with its replica of the wind-torn blacksmith shop where frontiersmen declared Texas' independence on March 2, 1836, is the site.

Descendants of the founding fathers, state officials and dignitaries and just plain Texans come to pay homage will throng the grounds.

Special tribute will be paid Richmond Ellis, chairman of the 1836 convention, by Federal Judge James V. Allred. Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel will speak on "The Challenge of March 2, 1836."

The descendants of the signers of the Texas Declaration of Independence will gather in the blacksmith shop for an annual meeting and the declaration will be read by Mrs. Joseph Weyland Dollarhide, granddaughter of Richard Ellis.

Following the luncheon concert by the Brenham band, the Blinn college aviation class will give a flight demonstration.

School children from various sections of the state will gather for a mass singing bee in the afternoon.

The Noted Bengal Gards of Orange will perform; the 197th Regiment, Coast Artillery Anti-Aircraft Unit, will be presented and the Brenham high school band will play.

M'ALLEN TAX RECEIPTS UP

Both City And School Report Jumps

McALLEN—Increases in February tax collections on 1940 taxes over the prior year were reported Saturday by officials of the school and city tax offices as the two per cent penalty on the past year's taxes went into effect.

City tax collections for 1940 during February reached $15,137.92, an increase of $6,017.99 over collections of 1939 taxes during the same month last year when collections totaled $9,119.93. Total city collections in February were $17,540.90 to show a rise of $6,033.44 over the same month last year when total collections were $11,507.46.

School district collections on 1940 taxes during February were $3,820, an increase of $100.70 over collections on 1939 taxes in February, 1940, which were $3,729.30.

Collections on delinquent taxes in the school district fell during February, M. E. Stone, clerk of the board, reported, declaring the district intended to open a campaign to press collections of delinquencies during coming months. Delinquent tax collections during February, 1940, totaled $4,642.11 with the past month listing $1,435.26, Stone reported. The decrease was $3,206.85, Stone said.

Alfonso Returns In Death To His Realm

MADRID—(AP)—Former King Alfonso XIII is expected to return in death to the realm he fled a decade ago, a voluntary exile.

Under a decree to be issued by Generalissimo Francisco Franco, permission will be granted to bury the ex-monarch in the Royal pantheon at Escorial, traditional burial place of Spanish kings. The mausoleum is 31 miles from Madrid.

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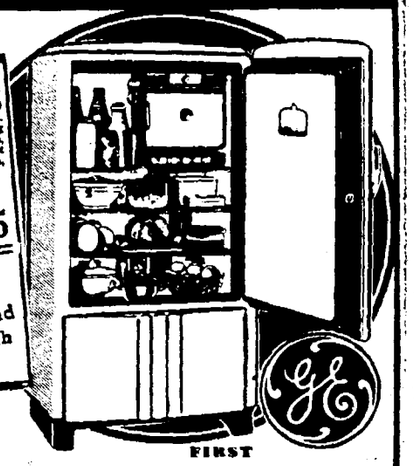

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Dell Morgan To Take Over Head Football Post At Texas Tech.

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SPORTS

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By E.C. Doc OSBURN

Busy Times Ahead

Whether you know it or not, there are busy times ahead for all you sports fans.

First off there is the meeting of the Rio Grande Valley Golf Association to be held Monday night at the Brownsville Country Club. At this gathering plans will be completed which should make of the organization one that will insure the future of golf in the Valley. Every golfer in this section is invited to attend this "Dutch Treat" affair.

There will be so much going on Monday, March 10, that we hate to mention it for fear some of you will just throw up your hands and stay home—all because you can't be at several places at the same time.

On that day, the spring training camps will open at Harlingen, San Benito and Brownsville. This means that you fans have quite a job on your hands if you decide you would like to see the first day of spring training at each of the three camps.

On Sunday, March 16, the first exhibition games of the season will be played with the San Antonio Missions meeting the Toledo Mud Hens at Harlingen and the Fort Worth Cats going against a Brownsville team at Brownsville. From this date on for a month you will have the opportunity of seeing plenty of games including those in which the St. Louis Browns and Boston Bees will be a part.

To make Monday, March 10, a day for the Valley to remember, Miss Patty Berg and Miss Betty Jameson will be matched against each other in a foursome with two South Texas women shotmakers. The opportunity to see in action the nation's two leading feminine golfers is a treat that should certainly not be passed up.

Valley high school baseball teams will furnish fans with plenty of action also, the 1941 schedule getting under way March 11. Ten Valley schools will send their nines after the Valley title and the right to go higher in state play.

March 14 is the date set aside for the annual Donna Relays. This even has long been a popular one and the thinly clads furnish plenty of thrills for track and field fans.

For the basketball addict, the tournament for independent Valley quintets is under way at San Benito and on playing nights there is enough court action to please anyone.

Monday afternoon at the Harlingen municipal course, the women golfers of South Texas will stage an elimination tournament to determine the players who will play in the foursome with Miss Berg and Miss Jameson with the two posting the lowest gross scores receiving the honors.

And who knows, we may have overlooked several other sports events. If we did, jump all over us.

And just as a reminder—the Border Olympics will be held at Laredo, Friday, March 7. It is our understanding that quite a number of Valley track men will see action there.

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Major League Games

There seems to be a bit of confusion over the schedule of exhibition games to be played in the Valley this spring—at least where the major league teams are concerned.

Just to keep the record straight, we pass on the following:

March 19—Boston Bees vs. Fort Worth at Brownsville.

March 20—Boston Bees vs. Toledo at Harlingen.

March 21—Boston Bees vs. San Antonio at San Benito.

March 26—St. Louis Browns vs. Fort Worth at Brownsville.

March 27—St. Louis Browns vs. Toledo at Harlingen.

March 28—St. Louis Browns vs. San Antonio at San Benito.

From this schedule it can be seen that Brownsville, San Benito and Harlingen will each play host to two major league ball clubs.

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Tough Loss

Rio Grande Valley basketball fans are right proud of the fine showing Coach Bob Jackson's Brownsville Eagles made in the regional cage tournament at Kingsville.

Just two points separated the Eagles and the Laredo quintet when the final whistle blew and that is the kind of loss that hurts. If you take a real trimming it doesn't hurt nearly as bad.

And when one stops to consider that the 1941 Eagle cagers brought the Brownsville high school its first district basketball championship, they deserve some extra congratulations.

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Some Advice

Note to high jumpers:

When you come to a fence, don't jump! Use the nearest gate or crawl under.

That's the advice of Captain Walter Arrington of the Michigan state track team. Arrington, ace high jumper, didn't even hesitate when he came to a fence recently, went right up and over.

But he suffered a severely twisted ankle that threatens to keep him far below top form this year—may even cost him a year of competition.

M. Jennings Taking Over As Director

Athletic Council Is Optimistic

LUBBOCK—(AP)—Two silvery veterans of big-time football—Morley Jennings and Dell Morgan—Saturday were named the shepherds of Texas Tech's football flock.

The board of directors unanimously named Jennings, recently resigned head coach at Baylor University, and Morgan, recently resigned line coach of Rice Institute, as athletic director and head coach, respectively.

The new combination, a combination Tech secretly hopes will lay foundation for entrance into the Southwest Conference, replaces Peter Willis Cawthon and Dutchy Smith, the tech coaching team that resigned several weeks ago because, they said, of certain athletic policies.

Jennings will take over June 1 under a two-year contract. He will also serve as professor and head of the department of physical education. Morgan, who coached at Tech in 1935 and resigned to go to Auburn, received a three-year contract starting March 1. He is expected to start spring drills within a few days.

The board also appointed George Berl Huffman assistant varsity football coach and varsity basketball mentor. Huffman resigned along with Cawthon and Smith, but the board rejected his resignation and gave him a promotion. His basketball team recently trimmed the National AAU champions, the Phillips Oilers. Huffman received a two-year contract.

Walker Nichols, guard on the 1935 Tech team and recently at Lubbock high school, was named freshman football and basketball coach and varsity track tutor on a two-year contract. G. C. Powell, former graduate manager, was named assistant to Jennings under a one-year contract.

Lewis (Doc) Spears, former Tech grod immortal, was named an instructor of physical education and trainer of the varsity teams.

W. L. Stangel, chairman of the athletic council, said the group had been selected from a field of 141 applicants and expressed the belief "Tech's athletic future is most promising under these men."

Cage Results

Arkansas 41, Southern Methodist 32
Rice 73, Texas 64
Cornell 33, Princeton 27
Northwestern 45, Iowa 36
Illinois 52, Chicago 33
Wisconsin 42, Minnesota 32
St. Louis U. 28, U. of Tulsa 44
Kansas 55, Nebraska 53
U. of Detroit 36, Marquette 33
Amherst 46, Williams 22
New York U. 78, Rutgers 55
Columbia 36, Harvard 18
Yale 48, Manhattan 44
Creighton 65, Drake 57
Penn State 36, Pitt 21
Lafayette 47, Lehigh 45
North Dakota State 51, North Dakota U. 39
Wayne 47, Hastings 37
West Virginia 65, Carnegie Tech 39
Oklahoma Aggies 41, Washington U. (St. Louis) 17
Central (Okla.) State 35, Northeastern (Okla) State 25
Ohio State 45, Michigan 37
Michigan State 44, Notre Dame 35
Indiana 47, Purdue 29
Iowa State 36, Kansas State 33
Dartmouth 65, Pennsylvania 57
Baylor 53, Texas A. and M. 39
Texas Tech 49, Hardin Simmons 31
Oklahoma Baptist U 35, Southwestern (Okla.) State 24
Syracuse 47, Colgate 41
Boston U 55, Brown 49
Rhode Island State 98, Providence College 71
Washington and Jefferson 44, Waynesburg 32

4-Ball Tourney To Start Today

CORAL GABLES, Fla. — (AP) — Birdies are apt to come mighty cheap when 32 of the best professionals in the golf business start fighting it out Sunday, in the $5,000 International Four Ball tournaments.

Four ball play lets the pros take long chances, so spectacular shots are sure to be flying all over the Miami Biltmore course.

The 1939 winners—Sam Snead and Ralph Guldahl—will be favored to regain the trophy as a result of their scores in the St. Petersburg tournament this week.

San Benito Kiwis Planning Softball

SAN BENITO — The Kiwanis Club's athletic committee is attempting to organize a softball league this spring and a survey is being made to determine if fans prefer to see games in Kiwanis park or on the old field, northeast of town.

The committee is also anxious to sponsor a girls' team and anyone desiring to play here or from surrounding towns are asked to contact Othel Bigham, chairman; Adolph Thomae or Bill Collins.

Bigham said Saturday that it is hoped that Rio Hondo, Los Fresnos and Port Isabel would take part again this year in the men's league and possibly sponsor girls' teams, too.

Three Germans have patented a newspaper type cast from synthetic resins.

FIRST SIGNS OF SPRING

AP Feature Service

IT'S SPRING training time for major league baseball players. The veterans are busy getting in shape for another season while the rookies are doing their best to catch the manager's eye and grab a job on the Big Show. The Brooklyn Dodgers and the New York Giants were first to open drills in mid-February.

The Dodgers get the winter kinks out of their muscles with these limbering-up exercises at Tropical Park in Havana.

Joe Medwick, who hopes to win the National League batting crown, rounds the bases after hitting one in a practice tilt.

Fred Fitzsimmons, veteran pitcher, hits fungoes to the outfield. Fred's conditioning was slowed up by a sore ankle.

The Dodgers have their cheering section, too. They are Helen Fitzsimmons (left), Mrs. Joe Medwick, Nellie Durocher, Mrs. Kirby Higbe, Mrs. Fred Fitzsimmons and Mrs. Leo Durocher.

The Giants are doing their training at Miami. Much of the Giants' success next season depends on tall pitcher Cliff Melton (right), who is chatting with Manager Bill Terry.

Monte Alto Team Wins Bantam Softball Title

LA VILLA—Pounding out a win over Progreso in the final game, Monte Alto won the first annual La Villa Bantamweight Softball tournament here Friday and with the victory a handsome trophy.

Twelve teams participated in the tourney, La Villa "A," Elsa Latin-American, Elsa Elementary, Progreso, Mercedes, Monte Alto, South Palm Gardens, Edcouch Elementary, North Palm Gardens, La Villa "B," Valley View and Edcouch Latin-American. La Villa, Progreso, Monte Alto and Edcouch Latin-American fought their way to the semi-finals.

Outstanding players, selected by the coaches of the various teams, were: Elmo Dean Wade, outfielder, Elsa Elementary; Veldon Houts, outfielder, Monte Alto; and Reynaldo Garza, La Villa.

B. R. Fraser, La Villa, director of the tournament, stated that the success of event indicated that more teams would enter next year.

Scotch Tourney Is Postponed

BROWNSVILLE—Due to the unsettled weather condition, the regular monthly Scotch tournament, scheduled to be played at the Brownsville Country Club Sunday, has been postponed one week, Claud Liston, manager, has announced.

All players planning to enter the tournament are requested to form their foresomes as soon as possible and file their entries here or at the Harlingen municipal course.

Pairings and teeing off times will be announced in the Star-Monitor-Herold next Sunday.

RIGGS WINS

JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—(AP)—Top-seeded Bobby Riggs of Chicago pulled out of a hole Saturday to defeat Jack Kramer of Los Angeles 8-6, 1-6, 6-4 in the Southeastern tennis tournament's semi-finals.

William Talbert of Cincinnati took Gardner Larned apart 6-1, 6-2. Riggs and Talbert meet in the finals at the Riverside Tennis Club Sunday.

Porkers Win Final Game Of Season

Chalk Up Twelfth Victory In Row

By RICHARD WEST

DALLAS—(AP)—Arkansas' champion Razorbacks fought off a stubborn Southern Methodist basketball team here Saturday night to win their 12th conference victory in a row, 41 to 32.

The victory gave Arkansas its second perfect season in history. A great 1928 team, featuring Schoonover, Rose and Pickel, also had a perfect season.

The Razorbacks' eleven field goals and nineteen free throws gave them a new conference scoring record—a total of 646 points against 607 scored by Rice last season.

But their ace, Johnny Adams, the jumping jive from Beebe, failed to become the new all-time Southwest scoring king.

Guarded closely by Rusty Baccus, little brother of Southern Methodist's coach, Whitey, Adams made only one field goal—and that three minutes before the game ended. Eight free throws gave him a total of ten points for the evening.

His season's total of 206 fell short by four points of equalling the great mark set in 1938 by Hub Kirkpatrick of Baylor.

S.M.U. started fast on field goals by Lloyd and Keith and led 8-4 at the end of the first ten minutes. Then Hickey and Frieberger started slipping under the basket for crip shots and Arkansas pulled ahead 17-12, three minutes before the half ended.

Keeton, fighting, red-faced Pony guard who played a marvelous game, found holes between Frieberger and Pitts under the basket and scored two field goals just before the half ended with the score 18-16, Arkansas.

Frieberger was the game's high scorer with 12 points.

The box score:

Arkansas	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Tps.
J. Adams f	1	8	2	10
Carpenter f	2	4	4	8
Robbins f	0	0	1	0
Frieberger c	5	2	2	12
O. Adams c	0	0	0	0
Pitts g	1	3	4	5
Hickey g	2	1	0	5
Wynne g	0	1	1	1
Mitchell g	0	0	0	0
Totals	11	19	14	41
S.M.U.	**Fg.**	**Ft.**	**Pf.**	**Tps.**
Sebock f	1	4	2	6
Keith f	1	1	4	3
Baccus f	1	1	4	3
Clements f	0	0	0	0
Wilkerson c	0	1	1	1
Welch c	2	1	3	5
Keeton g	3	1	1	7
Lloyd g	2	3	3	7
Totals	10	12	18	32

Score at half—Arkansas 18, Southern Methodist 16.

Free throws missed: J. Adams, Wynne, Keith, Welch, Lloyd.

Officials: Sears and Bushman.

Baylor's Bears Defeat Aggies

WACO —(AP)— Baylor's hustling Bears closed their 1941 Southwest Conference basketball season here Saturday night with a 53 to 39 win over Texas A. and M.

The Bruins got off to a fast start. Terry started things rolling with a short crip shot and with Vaughn and Parks chipping in, grabbed a 16 to 6 lead midway in the first half. Nabors came through with two straight baskets to send the Aggies up, 15 to 22, but the Bruins spurted again to take a 28 to 17 lead at the intermission.

Jack Wilson turned in a fine defensive game to hold Bill Henderson to no field goals during the first half and when he went out after two minutes of the second period, the Aggies started moving, behind Henderson and Lang, to pull up within one point of the Bears, 29 to 28 before Vaughn and Parks started sending the ball through the basket to get 42 to 32 margin with ten minutes left to play.

From then on, the Cadets never had a chance.

Dwight Parks led the scorers with 13 points while Henderson was high for the Aggies with 11.

The score:

Baylor (53)	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Tps.
Parks f	6	1	0	13
Terry f	2	0	0	4
Walters f	2	0	1	4
Bryski c	2	4	4	8
Frivaldsky c	3	2	2	8
Wilson g	1	0	4	2
Vaughn g	6	0	1	12
Belew g	1	0	3	2
Totals	23	7	15	53
A. and M. (39)	**Fg.**	**Ft.**	**Pf.**	**Tps.**
Jarratt f	4	0	0	8
Lang f	1	1	3	3
Cokinos f	1	1	2	3
Dawson c	2	1	3	5
Nabors c	2	1	0	5
Dwyer g	2	0	1	4
Henderson g	4	3	1	11
Klutz g	0	0	2	0
Totals	16	7	12	39

Score at half: Baylor 28, Texas A. and M. 17.

Patty And Betty Are Scheduled For Exhibition Match March 10

BETTY JAMESON

PATTY BERG

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HARLINGEN—Rio Grande Valley golf addicts have quite a treat in store for themselves at the Harlingen municipal course, Monday afternoon, March 10.

Miss Patty Berg of Minneapolis, holder at one time or another, of just about every women's golf title, and Miss Betty Jameson of San Antonio, who can also lay claim to just about every golf honor, will oppose each other in a foursome with two South Texas women shotmakers.

For several years, Patty and Betty have been rivals at golf and each has been forced to congratulate the other several times. Patty recently turned pro but Betty is still listed as an amateur. For this reason they can only meet in an exhibition match but the old rivalry remains as intense as it ever was when both were shooting at various championships.

In order to determine the other two members of the foursome that will play here March 10, an elimination tourney will be played here Monday, March 3, with the two entrants posting the lowest gross scores gaining the honors. Every woman shotmaker in South Texas is invited to play in this elimination tournament, Walden Haynes, Harlingen course manager and pro, has announced.

Miss Berg will give an exhibition of shots and stage a golf clinic the day of the match but the definite hour has not been set for plans are under way for the school age golfers of the Valley to witness this clinic. Since turning pro, Miss Berg has devoted her entire time and energy teaching young people how to play golf and since she is little more than a youngster herself, she knows exactly how to do it.

A luncheon in honor of Miss Berg and Miss Jameson will be held at the Madison Hotel here at 11:30 a. m., March 10, and the public is invited. The price per plate is 50 cents and those intending to attend must register at the local club house no later than March 9 so that proper provision may be made.

Region Tourneys Send Quints To State Meet

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Staff

The San Marcos Rattlers, gathering momentum in the stretch, drove into the state schoolboy basketball play-off for the second straight year Saturday night by capturing the regional title and thus becoming strong favorites to again win the Interscholastic League championship.

San Marcos, loser only to Austin high in the practice schedule, raced over Jefferson (San Antonio) 42-30 for the Region 6 crown, and along with seven other title teams will go to Austin next weekend for the state tournament.

Joining San Marcos in the battle for the championship will be Pampa, Abilene, Waco, Mount Vernon, Jeff Davis (Houston), Bloomington and El Paso High.

San Marcos was one of three of last year's regional titlists to repeat. Abilene came through in region 2 for the third time in four years, and El Paso's Tigers, last season's state runners-up, won in Region 8.

San Marcos defeated Lockhart 24-15 and Jefferson defeated Lytle 37-22 in first round games of Region 6. San Marcos led all the way to beat the San Antonio team handily, with Coers, a member of last year's state championship outfit, setting the pace with 13 points.

Pampa's Harvesters won the Region 1 title with a 34-22 victory over Lubbock's Westerners. Pampa reached the finals with a 26-20 decision over Quail and Lubbock got there by beating Amarillo 29-26.

Abilene had to rally in the last quarter to turn back San Angelo 25-20 for the Region 2 crown. And two players—Gene Dalton and J. E. Smith—scored all of Abilene's points, Dalton with 14 and Smith with 11.

A free throw in the last half-minute gave Waco the Region 3 championship over Sunset (Dallas) 36-35. Waco showed a well-balanced and heads-up team, taking out Burkburnett's high ranked Eagles 57-38 in the semi-finals before beating Sunset's brilliant quintet for the title.

Mount Vernon's unbeaten Tigers rang up their thirtieth consecutive victory in winning the Region 4 championship with a 32-23 victory over Van's widely-heralded outfit. The Tigers broke a 16-all tie after trailing most of the first half, and from then on Mount Vernon had little trouble. Davey Newsome sparked his six-foot teammates with brilliant floor work.

Jeff Davis' mighty Panthers—long a favored team among the top-rated—had only a minimum of difficulty in capturing the Region 5 title, crushing Addicks' Steers 47-21 in the finals. Ed Kelly, Davis center, whipped in 16 points to lead the attack. Davis had staged a garrison finish in the semi-finals to beat out Beaumont 31-29.

Bloomington won the Region 7 championship by the unbelievable score of 21 to 7 over Laredo. Games in which a team makes fewer than ten points have been scarce for several years, what with the emphasis on offense. Bloomington had nosed out Robstown 23-22 to reach the finals.

El Paso was not extended in beating Imperial 35-19 for the region 8 title, but the Tigers had run into trouble in the semi-finals against the hitherto unbeaten Odessa Broncs. The Bengals managed to eke out 24-23.

NAMED CHAIRMAN

RAYMONDVILLE—Stanley Addington has been named Raymondville chairman for the annual membership drive of the Civic Music Association of the Valley.

The drive will start Monday morning, March 3rd. A dinner for workers will be held at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel in Harlingen on Monday evening at 7:30.

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Teams Hang Up New Scoring Record

HOUSTON—(AP)—Rice Institute's Owls defeated the University of Texas, 73 to 64, here Saturday night as the two teams wore out the Southwest Conference total scoring record for a game and practically wore out the basket nets.

Frankie Carswell, Owl guard, easily outclassed Udell Moore of Texas, scoring 19 points as his part in the 137 total of the game, 16 points more than the old record set by Rice and Texas A. and M. here last season. Moore held Carswell to a single point the first time the teams met.

Rice led 37 to 27 at the half, but had to stand off a threatening Texas rally in the last period. Texas pulled up to 59 to 64 with three minutes of the game remaining, but Rice pulled away again and won easily.

The victory cinched second place for the Owls, who also broke their conference season's scoring record. Rice made 645 points in 1941 compared to their 607 last year.

The box:

Rice	Fg.	Ft.	Tps.
Closs f	4	6	14
Pepper f	1	0	2
Lambert f	0	2	2
Palmer f	4	0	8
Qinney c	7	2	16
Carswell g	7	5	19
Selman g	4	4	12
Totals	27	19	73
Texas	**Fg.**	**Ft.**	**Tps**
Granville f	5	3	13
Cooley f	3	1	7
Nelms f	2	2	6
Sander f	5	0	10
Houpt c	3	0	6
Hull g	7	1	15
Moore g	1	3	5
Croucher g	1	0	2
Kulner g	0	0	0
Totals	27	10	64

Officials—Jack Cisco and Doc Hayes.

Personal fouls—Closs 4, Palmer 2, Pepper, Lambert, Kinney, Carswell 2, Selman 2, Granville 4, Cooley 3, Nelms 2, Houpt 2, Hull 4, Moore 4, Sanders 3.

Free throws missed—Closs, Palmer, Kinney 3, Carswell 2, Selman 2, Nelms, Moore 2.

Half-time score—Rice 37, Texas 27.

Miss Cothran Wins In South Atlantic

ORMOND BEACH, Fla. — (AP) — Overcoming a jinx of long standing, Jane Cothran of Greenville, S. C., won the South Atlantic women's golf tournament Saturday with a 5 and 4 victory over Mary Agnes Wall of Menominee, Mich., in the finals.

In four previous attempts, Miss Cothran never got beyond the semi-finals of the South Atlantic.

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Rank Outsiders Gallop Home In Two Rich Racing Classics

Bay View Is Winner At Santa Anita

Big Pebble Stunner At Hialeah

By ROBERT MYERS

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—Bay View, 50 to 1 shot, shook off the challenge of the mighty Mioland and the rest of the brilliant field and sped on through the mud to score a smashing upset victory in the $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap Saturday.

Holding off the stretch charge of the heavily backed Mioland, and snapping the winning streak of millionaire Charles S. Howard, Bay View, carrying the racing silks of Mrs. Anthony Pelleteri, of New Orleans, rushed over the finish line a neck in front of the Oregon bay.

Bolingbroke, another long shot owned by Townsend B. M. Martin of New York, ran a startling third, while William L. Brann's Challedon, second to Mioland in the betting, trailed far back in the pack.

Bay View broke first and was never headed in this mile and one quarter battle over a track that was shiny as a mirror and almost as slippery.

Overshadowed in pre-race predictions by the Howard entry of Mioland and Porter's Cap, by the mighty Marylander, Challedon, Can't Wait, Fairy Chant and the remainder of the starting field of sixteen, Bay View paid off at the largest figure in the seven year old history of this classic—$118.40 to win, $26.20 to place and $9.80 to show.

The sun played hide and seek with storm clouds throughout the afternoon as a throng of 50,000 turf fans turned out for the event but just as the Handicap array came on the track for the parade to the post, Old Sol disappeared behind a cloud bank. It could have served as a warning to lucky Charley Howard that he would find no rainbow and a pot of gold at the end of it this afternoon.

Winner of the Santa Anita Handicap for two consecutive years first with Kayak II and last year with the gallant Seabiscuit, Mioland was the even money choice.

Bay View fairly flew out of the gate, and was leading in a battle with Louis B. Mayers Beautiful II, Hysterical, Woof Woof and Sweepida as they raced down in front of the grandstand.

The plucky Nick Wall kept Bay View in front as they rounded the clubhouse turn, with Sweepida and Porter's Cap taking up the chase close behind and Mioland trailing ninth.

Mioland, with Jockey Buddy Haas aboard, ma.e his move at the far turn, passing Porter's Cap, and the flying California-bred Sweepida. Bay View clung to the pace, however, and it was Bay View and Mioland in the duel for the big prize—$89,360.

Mioland, on the outside, charged up, but Wall gave Bay View another stroke with the whip and he swept on across. Four lengths back came Bolingbroke, while Walter Hoffman's Royal Crusader, took over fourth place.

Mioland paid $3 and $2.60, and Bolingbroke $6.40.

Wall, in scoring the victory, became the first jockey to win two of these Santa Anita Handicaps. He piloted Stagehand to an unexpected victory in 1938.

A total of $388,467 was wagered on the feature — more than the $382,702 wagered on the race in 1940.

Bay View had won but $7,785 in past performances. Saturday's upset built his winnings to $97,145.

By GAYLE TALBOT

MIAMI, Fla.—(AP)—It was just as well that old Col. E. R. Bradley was too ill to come over to Hialeah Park Saturday, for the master of Idle Hour Farm would have seen his beloved Bimelech shut out in the $50,000 Widener Cup race—beaten by a Bradley castoff and two others.

The winner of the classic before a dazed crowd of 21,500 was Big Pebble, bred by Bradley and sold just over a year ago to Mr. and Mrs. Ed S. Moore of Sheridan, Wyoming, for $5,000.

In beating his stablemate, Get Off, by a head in a roaring finish, Big Pebble Saturday returned $51.-800 on the investment and must have nearly broken old Colonel Bradley's heart.

Bimelech, the top-heavy favorite, never reached the front as the field of 14 fought it out for a mile and a quarter. This was the race he was to have won to cap his brilliant career before his retirement to the breeding farm. The only time he even threatened was just before the turn into the stretch, when he moved into second place, a neck back of the leader at that stage, Cherry Jam.

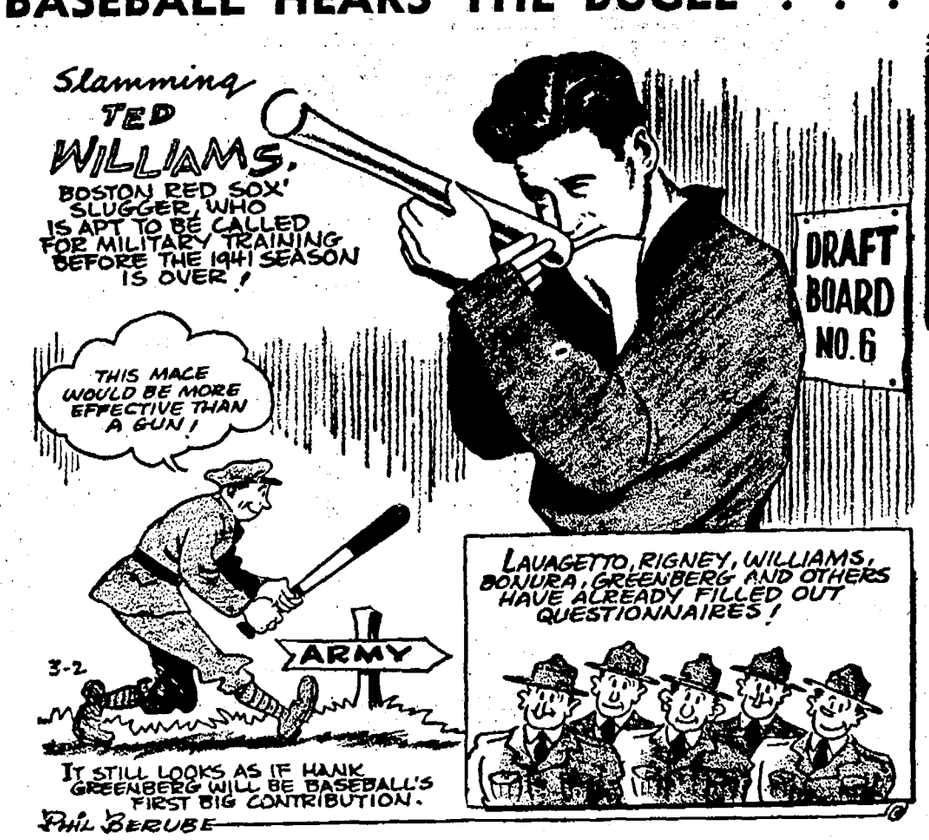
As they entered the stretch Get Off was in front, and he clung to his advantage until about 40 feet from the finish, when Jockey George Seabo pushed Big Pebble past his stablemate to win. Get Off was a length ahead of Haltal, which completed the humiliation of Bimelech by racing past him in the final 16th.

The crowd, chilled by a cold north wind, was so certain of Bimelech's victory that it set a betting record for a single race in Florida—$160,878—and if Bim had won he wouldn't have paid peanuts. Big Pebble paid $34.60 each to the delighted few who held $2 tickets on him.

This was Bimelech's 15th race, and Saturday was the first time he failed to place.

Get Off paid a handsome $26.50 for finishing second, and Haltal $4.00 for the show. Big Pebble's time was 2:02 4/5, a second slower than the Hialeah track record.

BASEBALL HEARS THE BUGLE . . . . . By Phil Berube



1941 Grid Coach Line-Up Regular Jig-Saw Puzzle

By DILLON GRAHAM
Sports Editor, AP Feature Service

NEW YORK—It's been many a year since the post-season shuffling of gridiron coaches involved as many major colleges as it has in 1941.

The roll call of institutions acquiring new mentors reads like a who's who in football—Notre Dame, Army, Boston College, Ohio State Dartmouth, Baylor, Yale, Brown. The list is long.

Ohio State, generally a power in the Western Conference, lost three games last fall, a disastrous year for the Buckeyes, and also lost their tutor, Francis Schmidt, who had piloted the Bucks for seven years, resigned, reportedly under pressure.

The Buckeyes finally reached down into the high school ranks for Schmidt's successor. They chose Paul Brown, who had enjoyed many successful years at Massillon, Ohio.

Notre Dame, customarily rated as one of the country's best, had to search for a new man when Elmer Layden, one of the famed Irish Four Horsemen, resigned to accept a $20,000 a year post as commissioner of professional football.

Leahy To Notre Dame

The Irish selected Frank Leahy, a Notre Dame player under Knute Rockne. Leahy had just signed a five-year contract at Boston College but the Eagles permitted him to accept the Notre Dame offer. Leahy piloted Boston through an unbeaten season and whipped Tennessee in the Sugar Bowl last New Year's day. Boston had not named a successor in mid-February.

The Army bumped into one of its worst seasons in the history of football at West Point and, when its coach, Capt. Bill Woods, was ordered to Fort Bliss, the military academy called in Earl Blaik of Dartmouth. Blaik, a former Army man who had been an assistant at West Point some years ago, took his whole Dartmouth staff to the Hudson citadel.

These shifts brought about a change at Brown, too. Tuss McLaughry, who had coached there for 15 years, accepted an offer to succeed Blaik at Dartmouth. And Brown, which had had only three coaches in the past 51 years, selected J. Neil (Skip) Stahley, a Harvard assistant, as its new head man.

Paddy Driscoll left Marquette and was replaced by Tom Stidham of Oklahoma. Stidham's assistant, Dewey Luster, succeeded him at Oklahoma.

Pond Out At Yale

Yale, which was subjected to some humiliating defeats, let out Raymond (Ducky) Pond and named Emerson Nelson, a former Iowa star who had been an Eli assistant, as his replacement.

After some two decades of coaching, Morley Jennings resigned as Baylor coach. Chet Benefiel left Tulsa and was followed by Henry Frnka. Pete Cawthon left Texas Tech when that school elected to de-emphasize the grid game. Jimmy Kitts, Rice coach for several years before Jess Neely took over last fall, caught on at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, where Henry Redd relinquished the tutoring role to become athletic director.

Wesley Fesler, former Ohio State All-America end and an assistant at Harvard, was named head coach at Wesleyan. Fred Brice resigned at Maine after 20 years and was replaced by Eck Allen, a former assistant at Brown. Moon Mullins, who piloted little St. Ambrose to an undefeated season, accepted an assistant coaching post at Florida. Jim Yeager, from Iowa State, was chosen as Colorado coach.

Two changes were made in professional football. Greasy Neale gave up his assistant's role at Yale to become coach of the Pittsburgh team of the National League, while Bill Edwards of Cleveland, who produced three undefeated teams in six years at Western Reserve, took charge of the Detroit Lions. After Detroit released him George (Potsy) Clark signed as Grand Rapids, Mich., university coach.

One of the latest developments saw John O'Dell Morgan, line coach at Rice Institute, named head football coach at Texas Tech and Jennings take over as athletic director.

Jenkins Fought Ambers With Two Bruised Hands

NEW YORK—(AP)—A possible reason for Lew Jenkins' failure to show his usual punching deadliness in the early rounds against Lou Ambers Friday night was discovered Saturday when it was learned the lightweigh champion had both his hands treated by Dr. Peter Mogull a few hours before the fight.

The physician disclosed Saturday that the muscles inside the thumbs on both Jenkins' hands were severely bruised, and that "he was definitely in the ring under a handicap."

The Texan finally stopped Ambers in the seventh round.

Golfers To Meet At Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE — Rio Grande Valley golfers will gather at the Brownsville Country Club Monday night to complete organization plans for the Valley Golf Association which came into existance at a meeting held in Harlingen two weeks ago.

Hill Cocke, permanent chairman of the association, issues an invitation to all persons in the Valley interested in golf and the staging of a Valley Open at Harlingen either in December or February.

The business meeting will be preceded by a "Dutch Treat" dinner at the local club house.

ATTEND MEETING

PHARR—O. E. Avery of Pharr, Chas. Parrott, Bob Dunham, and Woodrow Wilson of McAllen attended the meeting and dinner of Dr. Pepper salesmen held in Brownsville Thursday night, with Frank Davis of Brownsville as host for the meeting.

Figure In Slaying Leaves California

GLENDALE, Calif. — (AP) — Mrs. Winnie Jean Hawkins, object of a quarrel in which her husband, Robert L. Hawkins, is charged with slaying Clinton Numan Thompson, left Saturday with relatives for her former home in Hollis, Okla.

Hawkins was held for trial March 17 on a murder charge after officers testified he told them he returned home unexpectedly last Sunday morning and surprised his wife and Thompson embracing in Mrs. Hawkins' bedroom.

RAF Bags 3 Germans

LONDON — (AP) — British fighter planes swept over northern France Saturday afternoon and shot down three German fighters without loss, the ministry of information announced.

Baseball Banter

By JUDSON BAILEY

NEW YORK—(AP)—Most baseball people believe the Yankees' surprise sale of Babe Dahlgren to the Boston Becs was because Prexy Ed Barrow had become irritate at his holding out . . . That's why the Giants dropped Suitcase Seeds Friday . . . The same factor is likely to promote some other deals this month by other clubs . . . Tropical Stadium at Havana, where the Brooklyn Dodgers train, is so big that Larry MacPhail's mighty men couldn't make any home runs, but the Brooklyn "magician remedied that . . . He had a wire fence built inside the park, 350 feet from home plate at the sidelines and 495 feet in centerfield, and in the first exhibition game catcher Herman Franks poled a homer over it. . . . Anbody else got any problems?

Pitcher Joe Dobson told of a railroad conductor who asked him if he had a roundtrip ticket on the way to the Boston Red Sox' camp . . . Some of the Cleveland pitchers are stuffing cotton in their ears because of the shrill whistling indulged in by George Susce, the coach who catches batting practice.

The Dodgers just can't ever get over being Dodgers . . . In their first exhibition game they got their batting order mixed up and Dolph Camilli went to the plate out of turn . . . Bucky Walters went to more than 130 banquets during the winter . . . Bill Lee, whose salary has been sliced so deep he hasn't even gone to California, let alone to the Chicago Cubs' training base at Catalina Island, was the club's highest paid player only two years ago.

Lefty Gomez felt so good after cutting lose at the Yanks' St. Petersburg camp he yelled, "I'll make MacPhail sicker than hell." . . . Reminiscent of his near-trade to the Dodgers, of course . . . One of the reasons Casey Stengel is happy (if he is) comes from the fact Eddie Miller, the Bees' star shortstop, has quit being a lone wolf and has started chumming with one and all.

Bill Lee Talks About Salary

DALLAS—(AP)—Big Bill Lee, Chicago Cub holdout pitcher, followed the beagles Saturday, but his mind was on baseball.

"Five thousand dollars is too much of a cut for me to take," he protested while watching three of his six dogs compete in the Southern Beagle Club's four-day field trials.

"The Cubs paid me $17,500 last season and I'm willing to take a cut of $2,500. But $5,000—hmmmmh! That's too much."

Lee, mopping his forehead after a mad dash through brush and thicket, said he had written directly to President Wrigley explaining why he thought he deserved at least $15,000.

"I'm going back to Louisiana if I haven't received the right answer by Sunday, but I'm keeping in shape and will be in top condition if and when I report to Catalina Island."

Bolton Boone, Jr., To Exhibit Buzzophone At Inventor's Meet

HARLINGEN—Bolton Boone, Jr., 13-year-old son of Rev. and Mrs. Bolton Boone of Dallas, formerly of Harlingen, will be the youngest exhibitor at the Inventors of America four-day convention beginning in Dallas Monday, according to Associated Press dispatch from Dallas Saturday.

He will display a "Buzzophone," a flat device about the size of a typewriter, which produces tones when one or more of six keys are pressed.

Training Camp Chatter

HAVANA — (AP) — The Brooklyn Dodgers humbled the New York Giants again Saturday, 10 to 5, with a four-run outburst in the first inning and a five-run flurry in the seventh.

Herman Franks, Brooklyn's third-string catcher hit a triple and three singles Saturday while rookie Kemp Wicker monopolized pitching honors by holding the Giants to three hits and no runs for four innings.

SARASOTA, Fla.—(AP)—Ted Williams, missing holdout outfielder of the Boston Red Sox, has been given a few more days to consider his 1941 contract, Manager Joe Cronin learned Saturday in a telephone conversation with General Manager Eddie Collins.

ORLANDO, Fla.—(AP)—Manager Bucky Harris Saturday ordered double drills daily for the Nationals. He divided his 44 players into two sections, turning over the morning to the regulars and the afternoon to the rookies.

FT. MYERS, Fla.—(AP)—A team of still-hopeful Cleveland rookies opens spring training intra-squad competition Sunday by taking on the near-champions of 1940.

TAMPA, Fla.—(AP)—The month of March brought Eddie Joost into the Cincinnati Reds camp like a lamb Saturday and he deserted the holdout ranks and signed that paper.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—(AP)—Runing his squad through strenuous workouts, Manager Billy Southworth of the St. Louis Cardinals appeared pleased Saturday over the physical condition of the 32 players in camp.

Infielder Eddie Lake has signed his contract, it was announced.

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Manager Fred Haney said Saturday the Browns would not go in for the customary squad practice games until the regular exhibition contests are started.

AVALON, Calif.—(AP)—The mystery of the missing pitcher was solved Saturday when Claude Passeau, No. 1 Chicago Cub hurler, arrived in spring training camp three days late.

Passeau dismissed his tardiness with the brief explanation that "I had some unfinished business to attend to."

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—(AP)—Five more players donned New York Yankee uniforms Saturday to participate in a three-hour workout which Manager Joe McCarthy insisted upon in spite of 45-degree temperature and a stiff breeze.

The additional players included George Selkirk and John Murphy, both of whom signed contracts Friday.

Texas Loop Announces Few Schedule Changes

DALLAS—(AP)—Slight changes in the official playing schedule of the Texas Baseball League, as adopted at the recent Houston meeting, were announced here Saturday by league officials.

The season opens on April 13 and closes on Sunday, September 7, with 154 games played in 148 days. Six double-headers will be played by each club, two of which are carded on July 4 and Labor Day—the other four on Sundays.

All clubs will take an off-day on Wednesday, July 16, date for the sixth annual All-Star game at Beaumont.

The opening day schedule is now as follows:

Sunday, April 13: Fort Worth at Dallas; Tulsa at Oklahoma City; Houston at Beaumont, and San Antonio at Shreveport.

Tuesday, April 15: Dallas at Fort Worth.

Wednesday, April 16: Oklahoma City at Tulsa, Beaumont at Houston, Shreveport at San Antonio.

Arkansas Porkers Want National Cage Crown

By FELIX R. McKNIGHT

DALLAS — (AP) — Popularly, and deservedly, rated the best basketball team in Southwest history, University of Arkansas has one more objective—a National title.

The tall Mountaineers, rulers of the Southwest Conference for the ninth time in 15 seasons and holders of the team scoring record for a single season, are torn between two National tourneys.

From Madison Square Garden in New York has come an invitation to compete in the Invitational tourney. But the National Collegiate Athletic Association also wants the Porkers.

Decision probably will be made by the school's athletic council Monday at Fayetteville, Ark. Coach Glen Rose, shy tutor of the six foot, four inch average five that has lost only two games—both to the National AAU Champions, the Phillips Oilers, said the council's decision would be final.

James St. Clair, representative of the Western region of the N. C. A. A. has strongly indicated Arkansas would be invited to participate in the Kansas City Western eliminations March 21-22. The winner of that meeting between four picked teams of the West, will meet the Eastern champions in Kansas City on March 29 for the National title.

Analysis of the Arkansas success reveals a few hidden qualities.

Object of jibes from the players and fans only a season ago because of the awkardness fairly dripping from his six foot, eight inch frame, John Freiberger, the center, stumbled along until he developed his finesse.

Now he rates as a most damaging influence on the Porker five, and that takes in Johnny Adams, the phenomenal scorer who makes the headlines. Freiberger is the man who holds down the score.

Through eleven games opposing centers scored only 48 points on the Porkers.

The Porkers are essentially a high scoring team. No freeze-the-ball tactics are used.

Coach Rose encourages a fire-when-ready style because of the team's height; admits he might have to go back to more cautious play when shorter material comes along.

Amnesia Victim Is Los Angeles Woman

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Police said Saturday that a 20-year-old amnesia victim has been identified at the county hospital as Miss Ann Hefter of Los Angeles. The woman registered at the Y.W.C.A. here Wednesday night and spent one night there. She was taken to the hospital Thursday night by an unidentified man who disappeared while she was being given a preliminary examination.

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Highland Park's Coach Smiles Over Track Team

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF

DALLAS—(AP)—Pounding feet on cinders are playing a symphony sweet to the ears of Floyd Remington Hightower.

They say "championship, championship," as Highland Park's mighty men of the track whirl toward record-smashing marks.

Unlike most coaches, Hightower not only is optimistic privately but he lets the sport writers in on it.

"I think we have an excellent chance of repeating with the state high school championship," he said as he looked over some of the times and distances of his veteran team.

Last spring the Scotties scored 13 points to win the state title and bring to Highland Park its first major championship. Of that illustrious team Ralph Schrimpf, the clinch runner in the half mile and relay, has moved on.

But Larry Wolf, winner of the most thrilling quarter mile race in history—least as far as Hightower was concerned—is back, and along with him are four crack relay runners, a fine half-miler and a pole vaulter due to go places.

Wolf, Hightower thinks, should come mighty close to smashing the state record in the 440-yard dash, a matter of 49 seconds. Wolf won at the state meet last season, running it in 50 seconds against the wind. He had made the event in under 50 several times prior to that.

Then, Hightower believes his mile relay team should be tops with Wolf, Tommy Winn, Alex Page, Jimmy Sells and Layden Stroude, all veterans. Port Arthur had to break the record at Austin to beat out Winn, Page, Schrimpf and Wolf.

Wolf this year will run the 100, 440 and relay. He is a 10.1 second man in the century dash.

Other bright spots are Bill Hannum's work in the pole vault, Winn in the half mile and Dick Duemler in the middle distances.

Hannum, who came here from California, already has made 11 feet 6 inches in the pole vault this season.

Duemler, ineligible last year, is a 52-second quarter-miler and a star in the 220-yard dash.

Winn ran the half mile in 2:06 in 1940 and Hightower looks for him to get it down to two minutes this season.

Hightower expects rugged competition in his own region, what with Sunset (Dallas) turning up with some high class hurdlers and dash men.

And he finds Brady, the 1939 champion, back with five lettermen and a menace to his hopes at the state meet.

Highland Park has mapped an ambitious schedule of ten meets, including the Brady Relays, Fort Worth Fat Stock Show meet, East Texas Relays, Texas Relays and Dallas invitation.

Al Blozis Hangs Up New Indoor Shot Put Record

NEW YORK—(AP)—Fordham split the honors with giant Al Blozis of Georgetown and Leslie MacMitchell of New York University in the 20th annual indoor track and field championships of the Intercollegiate A.A.A.A. Saturday night.

The Rams captured team honors. Blozis broke all indoor records for the shot put, with the second-best heave that's ever been recorded, and MacMitchell won the mile run for the second straight year and in doing so broke a nine-year-old meet record.

Fordham, clinching honors by winning the two-mile relay and taking four more points with second in the mile relay, won with 25 1-4 points. Pittsburgh and New York U., 1940 winner, tied for second at 18.

Blozis, 245-pound Georgetown University football player, put the 16-pound ball 56 feet 6 inches. It topped his IC4A indoor mark of 55 feet 3 1-4 and his world indoor record of 55 feet 8 3-4, and was only seven inches short of the all-time outdoor record set by Louisiana State's Jack Torrance in Oslo, Norway, in 1934.

MacMitchell, New York U's great miler, wiped one of the older IC4A records off the books as he retained his mile title in the grand time of 4 minutes 12 seconds. He bettered the mark set by Pen Hallowell of Harvard by four-tenths of a second.

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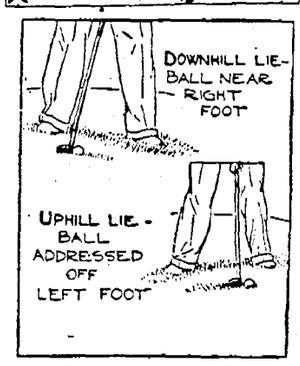

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On downhill lies the ball is located nearer the right foot. This position plus the use of a more lofted club than usual under similar distance requirements, will tend to get the ball into the air. It is essential that the player make certain of following through, keeping the clubhead traveling as close to the ground as possible.

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75c Size Stag Hair and Scalp Tonic	2 for 76c	$1.00 Size Lavender Bath Salts	2 for $1.01
35c Size Harmony Bay Rum	2 for 36c	$1.00 Size Lavender Bath Powder	2 for $1.01
29c Size Martel's Bay Rum	2 for 30c	$1.00 Size Tiny Tot Baby Powder	2 for $1.01
50c Size Jasmine Perfume	2 for 51c	50c Size Rexall Antiseptic Baby Oil	2 for 51c

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Set with Polish bristles. Handles in two colors—cream or black. Value.
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Made from live, long-wearing rubber. And made to give you dollars of service.
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Riker's **Ilasol**
Give your skin this protection! Ilasol has been a favorite for years. Fragrant.
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Extra refined—free from disagreeable earthy taste. Finest quality.
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Start your day off with this "smile" shave.
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The touch that men prefer after shaving.
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Miss Ruth Griffin Is Bride Of Roy Spence In Nuptials Solemnized Saturday

McALLEN—Only the glow from myriads of candles lighted the First Methodist Church Saturday night when Miss Ruth Griffin, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Griffin, became the bride of Roy Spence of Brownsville, son of R. M. Spence of Eagle Pass. The formal ceremony was read at eight o'clock before 450 guests.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. F. H. Hamner against a background of palm-shaped ferns, spectacularly lighted with row upon row of candles.

As they faced, a huge basket, filled with lofty arrangements of calla lilies and white gladioli, the young couple exchanged their vows. Candles topped the fern-draped chancel and choir rails and the organ where Phelan Dorn softly played nuptial music as the wedding vows were spoken. Flanking the floral effect were four floor candelabra whose light added to the effectiveness of the scene.

The candles were lighted by the bride's only brother, Gordon Griffin, Jr., just before members of the couple's families entered the church. Miss Daisy Ellen Polk of Pharr, gowned in a frock of white organza in contrast with a shoulder corsage of pink carnations, sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly" to the accompaniment of the organ.

When the wedding party entered the long white-carpeted center aisle, bordered with fern, the notes of the organ sounded the "Wedding March" from Wagner's "Lohengrin."

Miss Harriette Hagedorn of Edinburg and Miss Verlynn Bonner of McAllen, bridesmaids, wore matching full-skirted frocks of aqua mousseline de soie. The tight basques of their gowns were fitted from dropped shoulders bound with dainty rosettes of the same shade, and puffed sleeves. Veils of the same color flowed about their shoulders. Yellow iris and white narcissi, showered with the latter flowers, formed the colonial bouquets each carried in her lace-covered hands.

Miss Gloria Yzaguirre was maid of honor. Her gown was fashioned like the bridesmaids' but of yellow mousseline de soie in contrast with her brunette coloring. Her bouquet was made from blue iris and yellow poeticus. Its aqua streamers were tied with yellow poeticus.

In her all-white bridal dress, the bride entered with her father who gave her in marriage. Filmy yards of marquisette fashioned her wedding gown. The filled in sweetheart neckline of the gown was bound in twin rows of lace-edged ruffles. From the V-shaped bodice the voluminous skirt flowed into a long train. It, too, was edged with matching twin rows of ruffles, edged in lace. Her lace gloves were elbow-length. A coronet of seed-pearls caught the finger tip length veil to her head. White iris and orange blossoms formed the bride's colonial shaped bouquet. Its white satin shower ribbons were tied with orange blossoms.

The groom's brother, J. W. Spence of Houston, was his best man. Ushers were Fred Pilgrim of Brownsville, Walter Fitch of Eagle Pass, and the bride's brother, Gordon.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Griffin was most attractive in a soft pink chiffon and lace frock with a corsage of sweetheart roses and blue delphinium.

Immediately after the ceremony there was a reception at the Griffin home for members of the two families, the wedding party and a few intimate friends. Here the new bride cut the first piece of the four-tiered wedding cake, which was topped by a tiny bride and groom. The cake flanked one end of the serving table in the dining room. At the other was a punch bowl, circled with orange blossoms. Twin tapers burned on the table.

Mrs. Lauro Izaguirre served the cake and Miss Cathryne Melton the punch while Miss Mary Virginia Polk presided at the bride's book. Assisting were Mrs. J. C. Monk, Miss Lucille Wiley, Mrs. George Gaddy and Mrs. O. K. Gilvin.

For traveling Mrs. Spence wore a simple blonde crepe frock and a blue, fitted coat. Her accessories were black. For her corsage she used blue iris.

After a week's stay at Monterrey, the couple will be at home at Brownsville, where he is assistant

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Shary Home Is Scene For Smart Courtesy Honoring Four Guests

MISSION—Prominent in the social events of the week was the coffee given Thursday morning when Mrs. John H. Shary and Miss Lavinia Bourgeois entertained at the Shary home to honor Mrs. Pat Riley, Mrs. Thomas R. Burnett, Mrs. Lein Bourgeois and Mrs. Allan Shivers. Mrs. Riley and Mrs. Bourgeois are recent brides. Mrs. Burnett has recently moved to Brownsville after a residence of more than 20 years in Mission and Mrs. Shivers, whose home is in Port Arthur, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shary.

A variety of spring blossoms created a decorative note of seasonal accent as a background for the receiving line and about the reception suite. More than 150 guests called during the hours and were received by Mrs. Shary, Mrs. Riley, Miss Bourgeois, Mrs. Bourgeois, Mrs. Burnett and Mrs. Shivers. Mrs. Leon H. Brown and Mrs. Loyd Brasher greeted the guests at the door.

A score of close friends of the hostesses and the honor guests formed the house party. All wore corsages fashioned of dainty spring blossoms in shades harmonizing with their frocks. In the red drawing room of the home, Mrs. Percy Herman of McAllen and Mrs. Roy K. Straw greeted the guests. Distinctive arrangements of white calla lilies at one end of the room and deep red carnations at the other end gave a delightful floral touch to the room.

In the dining room, great sprays of dainty pink gladioli filled a silver vase at one end of the table where the fruit and creamed turkey courses were served. On the buffet, pink carnations were mingled with yellow acadia blossoms to give further springtime charm. Mrs. Herbert C. Jeffries and Mrs.

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A most unusual quartet are the four sisters, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Toothaker of Alamo, snapped by the camera as they made a spirited promenade across the greens at the McAllen golf course. Pictured left to right, they are, Marion, Patricia, Jeanette and Lucille. Marion is a sophomore in Pharr-San Juan-Alamo high school; Patricia, (generally known as Patty) is a freshman at Edinburg Junior College; Jeanette is a senior in Pharr-San Juan-Alamo high school; and Lucille, who graduated from Edinburg Junior College last year, is now employed in San Antonio. The three younger girls are all members of the Rainbow Assembly and Jeanette is a member of the A Cappella Choir. (Staff Photo.)

Three attractive sisters who appear to be nearly the same age and size, are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mortensen, who live near Alamo. All are members of the junior class of the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo school. Eleanor, the youngest, is pictured left as she does a little camera clicking on her own account. Clara, shown center, is next youngest or oldest, while Vera, seated right, is the eldest. The trio have prominent parts in school activities including Girl Reserves, Little Theatre, Future Homemakers, Junior Music Club and Choral Club. (Photo by Purnell.)

Bride-Elect Of March 9 Honored In San Benito With Large Tea, Shower

SAN BENITO—Miss Emalee Wells of Brownsville, a former San Benito girl and bride-elect of Wayne Louis Hartman of Cuero, was honoree Saturday afternoon for a tea and crystal shower of particular charm given at the country home of Mrs. C. M. Cash. Hostesses were Mrs. Cash, Mrs. Frost Bohner, Mrs. R. J. East, and Mrs. E. E. Ogden.

Marriage of Miss Wells, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wells of Brownsville, and Mr. Hartman will take place Sunday, March 9.

Pretty distinction was given floral arrangements and other details by representation of a yellow and white color theme. About guest rooms were lovely arrangements of yellow and white flowers, intermingling of orange blossoms giving emphasis to the bridal theme.

Receiving with the hostess were school friends of the honoree. Miss Mary Katherine Ogden, wearing pink net, and Miss Jane Bohner in blue net. Mrs. Bohner was attired in black velvet. Mrs. Cash chose blue lace. Mrs. R. J. East wore blue chiffon and Mrs. Ogden black chiffon. Mrs. Wells, mother of the bride, was becomingly attired in navy.

The honoree was especially attractive in a classic formal frock of white chiffon, which accented her vivid brunette coloring.

Simplicity and beauty were combined in decoration of the table which was laid with lace and centered with exquisite blossoms in yellow and white. Mrs. Stanley Dodds and Mrs. Jim Sweeney served the tea dainties which reflected the favored colors.

Guest list for the affair included: Mesdames J. P. Dyer, Pat O'Brien, P. J. DeGuerrin, Asa Agar, Ralph Agar, Chas. Barber, Ione Allen, E. L. Barmore, Jessie Betts, Chas. Bowie, Paul Cottrell, Frank Carter, Bert Epstein, W. E. Johnson, Wade Kientz, Tom Marchbanks, A. W. Polzin, Frank Sublett, L. B. Mayer, R. G. Treon, Paul Bruce, Fred Wedegartner, Earl Reed, W. J. Vinsant,.

W. D. Holland, John Clark, Floyd Worth, A. M. Hervey, Bill Craven, Ben Shoemaker, E. M. Carroll, Bill Gilbert, Robert Gay, R. B. Stewart, J. D. Casey, Jim Bowie, Knox Smith, Claud Atkins, Bob McCalpin.

Misses Dolly Vinsant, Jean Agar, Aline East, and Pampa Hadden of San Benito, Mrs. J. D. Strauss of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Maude Senger, of Chicago, Ill.

Mesdames Mike Breham, Lew Palmer, Roy Tolson, A. C. Capron, Schrum, Frances McFadden, Tom Burton, Clarkson Cowgill, R. B. Creager, Jesse Dennett, Roy Holcomb, S. D. Ray and Volney Taylor, Misses Josephine Taylor, Marilor, Elizabeth Canales, Zelle Taylor, Inez Brulay, Mary Patrick and Elizabeth Holcomb of Brownsville.

Mrs. R. Kokernut, Cuero. Mesdames Sam Botts, Tom George, Adolph Rabel, Jr., and Dave Schuepbach and Miss Julia Botts of Harlingen, and Mesdames W. W. Huitt and Lloyd Parker of Olmito.

Pair Recently Wed Visit In Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Andreas and family have had as guests in their home Mr. and Mrs. Daniel James White of San Antonio. Mrs. White is the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andreas and the former Miss Gladys Andreas. Marriage of the couple took place in San Antonio Sunday, February 16.

Mr. and Mrs. White have departed for San Antonio, Corpus Christi, and Dallas, but will return in a few days to Brownsville for a further visit with her parents.

They expect to leave the latter part of March for Panama and will be at home after April 1 in Colon, Republic of Panama.

McAllen Man Is Feted On Birthday

McALLEN—A group of friends surprised Fred Bevil on his birthday this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron.

Bunco was played during the evening and refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. John Wieschan, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ginitte, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bevil, Alex Cameron, Lancer Bevil and Henry Cameron.

Couple Is Honored On 52nd Anniversary

ALAMO—The fifty-second wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Clarke was feted on Thursday evening with a dinner party at the Casa de Palmas hotel.

Mrs. Clarke's sisters, Mrs. H. E. Palmer of Dayton, Ohio, and Mrs. Eva Wayne of Long Beach, California, and friends, Mrs. Anna Wilson and Wesley Donahue of Dayton, Ohio, all of whom are winter visitors in Alamo, and their daughter, Mrs. Helen Wilkin of Alamo, were guests.

Engagement Announced At Coffee

PHARR—At an informal coffee given Saturday from 10 to 11 o'clock, Mrs. F. D. Malone of Frisco, Texas, announced the engagement and coming marriage of her daughter, Miss Louise Malone, to A. C. Henley of McAllen. The pretty morning hospitality was held at the Cactus Tea Room in Mission and included in the guest personnel friends from several Valley towns.

Blending effectively were the blossoms used in graceful profusion and chosen to express a color motif of yellow and white. Yellow and white lupine in a low bowl centered the coffee board which was spread with transparent white over a yellow foundation.

Guests were greeted at the door by Miss Linden Anderson.

The bride-elect was smartly attired in a morning frock of new black spring crepe, relieved by a frill of lingerie at the neck, and a corsage of white carnations. Her mother wore a modish frock of black crepe with corsage of pink carnations, and Mrs. E. G. Reynolds, who received with them, chose a spring print and corsage of wine-colored carnations.

Miss Elizabeth Malone of Henderson, Texas, another sister of the honoree, presided at the guest book, and Mrs. T. J. Copeland, assisted by Mrs. M. D. Price, presided at the coffee service.

During the hour for receiving a delightful background of music was furnished by Mrs. H. A. Cox and Miss Lenden Anderson. Mrs. J. B. Malone of Austin presented to each guest single white gardenias tied with white satin ribbon. On the petals was inscribed the announcement, "A. C. and Louise, June 17th."

Forming the personnel were Mrs. J. B. Malone, Austin; Miss Elizabeth Malone, Henderson; Mrs. F. D. Malone, Frisco; Mrs. C. E. Briggs, Corpus Christi; Miss Frances City, Mena, Ark.; Miss Alta Yates, Edinburg; Mrs. Morris Jones, Weslaco.

Mesdames Horace Etchinson, W. W. Dees, T. J. Powell, Sam L. Miller, and Miss Marie Lawson, McAllen, Mesdames Albert Schlichter,

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Rowland-Gregory Nuptials Announced

HARLINGEN—Mr. and Mrs. C H. Gregory of Harlingen announce the marriage of their daughter, Joyce, to Richard Rowland, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rowland of La Feria. The wedding took place Saturday, February 15. The couple has established a home in Edinburg.

Style Show To Portray Many Periods

MERCEDES — Plans are being completed for the period style show, sponsored by the Mercedes Chapter of Bundles for Britain, which will be held in the junior high school auditorium March 14.

Dresses, some of which date as early as 1850, were lent by Mesdames D. R. Brower, Blake Seay, Morris Allen, H. J. Menton, W. W. Collier, and William Hood.

Mrs. Gilbert, show supervisor, is trying to locate a costume representative of the Flapper Era, or the 1920's, and someone to model an 1892 dress, which is smaller than a size 9.

Models entered by the Mercedes Chapter in the McAllen style show Sunday received several places. Misses Jackie Johnson, Lane Smith, and Betty Jo McKinney, and Mrs. Harry Bowman modeled the dresses.

Members of Beta Sigma Phi, Gamma Omega enjoyed games of bridge in the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Alston Wednesday night. Mrs. Leah Lyle received the high score prize and Miss Leona Hawkins the consolation prize.

Plans were completed at the meeting for the dance to be given Saturday, March 8, at the Mercedes Stockyards. Tickets will be on sale Monday, Mrs. Jordan Davis, social chairman has announced.

Committees are, decoration, Mrs. Tommy Terry, Miss Helen Teal Stotler, Mrs. Leah Lyle; property, Miss Jackie Johnson, Mrs. Elizabeth Alston, Miss Leona Hawkins, Miss Mahalah Hamner; refreshments, Mrs. Jordan Davis, Mrs. Tommy Terry, and Miss Jackie Johnson; and advertising, Misses Dorothy Sue Perry, Harriet Kidder, Dorris Griffin, Mrs. William Dudley, and Mrs. Floyd Langford.

MISS GRIFFIN WED SATURDAY

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manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Company.

The bride, who has lived most of her life in McAllen, graduated from local schools and from the University of Texas, where she was a member of the Alphi Phi Sorority. For the past year and a half she has been an instructor at the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo schools.

Friday night members of the wedding party and several out-of-town guests were entertained by the Griffins at a rehearsal dinner at the Casa de Palmas Hotel. Quantities of pastel-toned sweetpeas were used as floral decorations on the white covered table. At the place of each member of the wedding party was a gift from the bride and groom.

Guests were the honored couple, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Griffin, Gordon Griffin Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spence of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fitch of Eagle Pass, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pilgrim of Brownsville, R. M. Spence of Eagle Pass, Phelan Dorn, Gloria Yzaguirre, John Stephen of Austin, Daisy Ellen Polk, Robert Lynn, Harriette Hagedorn, Verlynn Bonner and Al Martin, the latter of Edinburg.

Flag Is Presented To Donna School By Auxiliary, P.-T.A.

DONNA — At the assembly hour Thursday Mrs. Andrew Champion, as president of the Legion Auxiliary, presented a large American flag with staff and stand to the elementary school. The gift was made jointly by the Legion Auxiliary and the Elementary P.-T. A. Mrs. Bert Marley, P.-T. A. president assisted in the presentation.

Mrs. Walter G. Weaver gave a stirring address, stressing the history of Texas under six flags in recognition of the approach of Texas' Independence Day.

Hirons-McDougle Nuptials Announced

PHARR—Mrs. Evelyn McDougle, daughter of William Grentzenberg of San Antonio, became the bride of Ray Hirons of San Antonio, son of Mrs. J. E. Hirons, Friday, February 21.

Dr. Robert E. Goodrich officiated at the wedding which took place in the Laurel Heights Methodist church at San Antonio with only the immediate families and a few close friends of the couple witnessing the ceremony.

After a honeymoon trip to Monterrey, Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Hirons spent a few days in Pharr with his mother, Mrs. J. E. Hirons, leaving Friday afternoon for San Antonio, where they will be at home at 113 Armour Place.

Newlyweds Make Fort Riley Home

McALLEN—Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Davidson have announced the marriage of their youngest daughter, Lucille, to Ray Randal of Mineral Wells.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Randal of Mineral Wells.

The newlyweds will make their home at Fort Riley, Kansas, where the groom is stationed with the United States Army.

Visit In Mission

MISSION — Mr. and Mrs. Ted M. Melden, Jr., and son, Ted, III, of Cincinnati, O., arrived Tuesday for a week's visit with Mr. Melden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Meden, Sr., at their home on Shary Boulevard. Sally Beth, young daughter of the visitors, is staying with her maternal grandmother in Nashville, Tenn., while her parents are away. Mr. Melden, Jr., is a pilot with the American Airlines.

Wedding Set For March 14

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reese of McAllen have announced the engagement and marriage March 14 of their daughter, Ann, to Morris Cain of Pharr. The ceremony will be solemnized at the home of the bride-elect's parents in McAllen.

Committees Announced

SAN JUAN—Committees were announced by Mrs. J. E. Wilkins, president, at the meeting of the newly organized San Juan Garden Club Wednesday.

New committees for the year are: Year book, Mesdames W. D. Cummings, O. H. Stugard, and Paul Hetrick; civic, F. C. Gordon, Tommy Lovett and H. S. Dean; social and finance, Frank N. Hall, J. Beaty Smith, T. A. Kimmel and L. C. Jefferson; bouganinvillea, B. L. Miller, Randall Hensley and Earl Reed; membership, H. D. Munal, Clark Mellenbruch and Alfred Sorensen; telephone, J. Lee Stambaugh, A. A. Williams and Ray Fraim; exchange and courtesy, Paul Reichert, L. F. Moore and H. S. Hancock; publicity, Lee M. Green and T. E. Thompson.

Mrs. B. L. Miller had charge of the program. She gave a poem, "Garden and You," by Molly Anderson; Mrs. Frank Denzer, president of the Alamo Garden Club, gave a talk on plant families and plant classifications.

The roll call for next week will be the name of native trees and something about them.

Mrs. Earl Reed was made a new member of the club.

ENGAGEMENT IS TOLD AT COFFEE

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S. P. Nycum, Wm. G. Davis, Burt Coate, Garland Akin, T. J. Copeland, Joe Ellis, A. V. Peterson, M. D. Price, Frank Houghton, Charles T. Decker, Misses Daisy Ellen, Mary Virginia and Frances Polk.

Mesdames Ray Brooks, H. A. Cox, J. Lee Stambaugh, D. U. Buckner, Guy Ritchey, O. C. Emery, M. E. Burkhart, Misses Margarita Wendel, Mary Jakl, Ruth Gold, Mary Louise Walker, Gloria Yzaguirre, Ruth Griffin, Ethel Carman, Lucile Copeland, Ruth Greenfield, Mary Ann Wall, Mary Jewel Ferguson, Emily Broughton, Christine Crawford, Ann Smith, Geraldine Palmer, Winona Winn.

Mesdames A. M. Kelley, D. C. Hogan, Geo. Leach, U. Edward Baker, Bormann Baker, Edwin Lagrange, and E. G. Reynolds.

Recent Bride Is Honored

PHARR — Mrs. Alvis Wilson, formerly Miss Eva Callis, was named honoree at the meeting Tuesday night of the Eastern Star Chapter when members arranged a pretty party and social for the new bride.

Sweetpeas in pastel shades, and yellow nasturtiums formed decorations.

The honoree was presented with beautiful gifts from the entire chapter. The presentation was made by Mrs. Rex Norman, who gave an impressive tribute poem written for the occasion by Mrs. June Avery.

In the series of contests, Archie Carlson won the prize, a beautiful sandwich tray, and presented it to Mrs. Wilson.

Refreshments of cookies, sandwiches and punch were served by Mrs. Norman and Mrs. Garland Akin to the honoree and Mesdames C. L. Vandever, H. L. Murphey, Lee Doty, J. J. Maurer, Edith Baker, E. C. Couch, Guy Young, J. D. Webber, A. Vandresar, Robb Everhard, Rex Norman and Garland Akin, Roy Hankins, J. D. Webber and Archie Carlson.

Bridge Is Enjoyed By Weslaco Guests

WESLACO — Mrs. Clyde Young was hostess Tuesday for a very pleasant afternoon of bridge.

Potted plants and unusual arrangements of castor beans decorated the rooms with Mrs. William Phares winner of score and Mrs. Gordon Potts and out of club guest playing.

Mrs. Young served a tempting sandwich plate to her guest members of the Bluebonnet club, and guest.

FROM MICHIGAN

MISSION- Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Lynch and Mrs. R. Hartley of Flint, Mich., arrived Thursday for an extended visit in the Valley. They will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Storms in Missi n, and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Krebs in Harlingen.

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Husbands To Be Guests For Forum

RAYMONDVILLE—Members of the Raymondville Woman's Club and their husbands are to meet Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. for a special program presented by the international relations department of the club.

A forum composed of Roger Robinson, Dr. G. E. Bennack and Rev. Charles T. Hardt, with Rev. M. C. Yeargan presiding, will discuss "How Can America Best Strengthen Her Defenses."

Members may bring a guest couple.

The Raymondville Parent-Teacher Association will meet on Wednesday at 3:45 p.m. at the school auditorium. Mrs. A. T. Harper is chairman. The program topic is "Safety in Home, School and State."

The Raymondville Garden Club wil have as guest speaker an authority on "Arrangement of Flowers" from Brownsville.

The meeting is set for Thursday at 3 p.m. at the Woman's Club Building.

Guests will be welcomed.

Members of Circle One of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet on Monday at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. J. B. Chambers. Mrs. Mervin Hayes is leader.

Pretty Event Is Surprise

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. J. I. Grunwald was honored with a surprise handkerchief shower in recognition of her birthday Thursday evening when Mrs. G. B. Waller was hostess at her home. Assisting in hostess duties was Mrs. Hollis Waller.

At the close of the series of games and contests, which furnished entertainment, Mrs. Grunwald was declared winner and the prize was the surprise gifts from the group of guests.

The birthday cake was served by the hostess with apricots and whipped cream, coffee, and mints.

Enjoying the pleasant affair with the honoree were Mesdames G. H. Bingley, Oren Pederson, E. A. Oliver, G. C. Greer, George Dever, and Hollis Waller, and Mrs. Joe Spears and Mrs. E. F. Yarrow of San Benito.

SHARY HOME COURTESY SCENE

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Carl A. Roettele alternated in serving the fruit the first and second hours. Mrs. Jesse Dennett of Brownsville and Mrs. Arnold J. Shary alternated in serving the turkey.

Coffee was served in the morning room where a lovel; arrangement of pink carnations, blue iris and golden yellow jonquils made a striking effect for the centerpiece. Mrs. R. R. Hooks poured coffee from the silver service at one end during the first hour and Mrs. W. O. Brown the second hour. Mrs. John T. Lomax of McAllen served the coffee royal at the opposite end of the table the second hour and Mrs. Harry Keifer the second hour.

Mrs. J. V. Carpenter and Mrs. Ollen Rome assisted in hostess duties in the dining room. Assisting in both the dining room and the morning room were Mrs. R. N. Smith, Mrs. J. E. Frost of Donna, Mrs. C. F. SoRelle, Mrs. James Wood, Mrs. John Griffin, Mrs. T. B. Waite, Jr., and Miss Betty Davenport.

Guests Depart

SANTA ROSA — Mr. and Mrs. George Amos have departed for their home in New Mexico after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Russell. The couple came at this season to shore in the Charro Days fiesta. Mrs. Amos is a niece of Mr. Russell.

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International Theme Stressed In Program For Valley B. P. W.'s

Speaker Urges Better Understanding Of Latin-Americans; Decorations Noteworthy

SAN BENITO — "International-ism," the theme for study during the year by Business and Professional club women, was given striking emphasis in the banquet table set for 85 members and guests Thursday night at the Stonewall Jackson Hotel. The affair was the quarterly meeting of the Valley Federation of B. and P. W. Clubs.

In observance of "International Night," decoration featured a patriotic theme. Tiny flags of many countries, alternating with white candles, were placed along the U-shaped tables. Candles that were lighted noted nations in which women's organizations were active and tapers that were dimmed denoted nations in which women have few privileges and their organizations are inactive.

The International Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs was the outgrowth of the National Federation of this organization, having headquarters in New York. To express this development in the decoration a central tall flag of the United States backed by tall lighted candles made the centerpiece.

Each place was marked by a program with red, white and blue covers, and tiny Texas flags.

The Valley Federation is composed of members from clubs in Brownsville, San Benito, Harlingen, Mercedes, Weslaco and McAllen.

Program for the evening opened with group singing of "God Bless America" led by Mrs. G. C. Schurman with Dr. Mamie G. Pester accompanist. Afterwards Mrs. Merle Temple advanced with the colors and the salute to the flag was led by Mrs. Dorothy Brunson. The collect was given by Dr. Pester.

Mrs. Nellie Chenoweth, president of the hostess club, welcomed the guests and response was given by Mrs. Myrtle Householder of the Harlingen club.

The choral group of the San Benito Music club sang "The Weaver" and a medley of songs entitled "The Lost Chord."

Mrs. Chenoweth gave a beautiful interpretation of the International Federation's obligations in present day circumstances and Miss Marie Brown read a message from Dr. Minnie L. Maffet, Fort Worth, national president.

Mrs. Chenoweth presented Miss Margaret Conrady who introduced the guest speaker for the evening, Mrs. Martha Canfield of Los Fresnos. Miss Conrady is a former pupil of Mrs. Canfield who was instructor in an Iowa college, and who is widely recognized in the educational field of choral speech and dramatic art.

Mrs. Canfield, in a very informal talk, discussed the role of women in the present war crisis. Punctuating her talk with whimsy and humor, Mrs. Canfield made an effective plea for more sympathy, understanding, and neighborliness toward peoples of Latin-American countries.

After singing, "America, the beautiful," Miss Zona Scaief, Valley Federation president, directed a business meeting. Report of the district meeting at Corpus Christi in the fall was presented by Mrs Ophelia Hill, Harlingen, who is district director-elect.

Miss Julia O'Brien, Brownsville, gave the report of the Valley historian.

The group voted to pay expenses of the Valley Federation president to the meeting of the nominating committee for the Texas Federation.

A letter from Dr. Jacobine Kruze, Chicago, former Valley Federation president, was read.

Invitation to meet in McAllen in August was extended by Miss Dorothea Wilson of McAllen and was accepted.

San Juan Bride Honored By Party

SAN JUAN—Mrs. Earl Hinkle complimented her sister-in-law, Mrs. Roy Hinkle, a bride of two months, with a lovely shower at her home Tuesday afternoon. The honoree received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Those attending were: Mesdames Emma Jones, Vance Davis, W. F. Jones, C. Parrish, I. S. Knops, J. F. Ramsey of McAllen; Ed Boler, C. A. Parrish, Leavelle Spencer, Frank Gross, Pharr; Lynn Fortson, Chas. Hinkle, R. C. Sing, T. J. Sing, Fred Smith and T. E. Thompson.

VISITOR GOES

SAN JUAN—Dr. G. C. Parsons of San Antonio left Sunday for his home after spending the week in the home of Mr and Mrs. H. D. Munal.

Mrs. C. S. Albrecht Entertains Club

MISSION—Mrs. C. S. Albrecht included three guests in the personnel when she entertained the Wednesday afternoon Bridge Club this week. They were Mrs. Dan Friesen, Mrs. Hollis H. Rankin and Mrs. T. A. Humason.

Score honors for the afternoon were claimed by Mrs. W. F. Oakes for high and Mrs. W. E. Wood, second high. Other players were Miss Mary Vaiden Wood, Mrs. M. E. Baggett, Mrs. Frank Keller, Mrs. M. C. Enfield, Mrs. David Wood, Mrs. Norton Boyd, the three guests and the hostess.

Dainty refreshments were served after the games.

Serve As Models

MERCEDES — Misses Betty Jo McKinney and Jo Ella Baumgart, Mrs. Carl McKinney, and Mrs. Cliff Holloman modeled spring styles in the luncheon style show given by Eggum's in the Cortez Hotel, Weslaco, Friday afternoon.

Dinner Meet Held By Donna Faculty

DONNA — Donna faculty members enjoyed a delightful turkey dinner Wednesday evening at the Plaza Hotel. The long white tables were gay with nasturtiums.

Miss Jessie Mercer was toastmistress, directing the entertainment which stressed informality.

Miss Robin Cook, Weslaco, gave music, and Virginia Moraes sang two songs.

Supt. Hugh Proctor, Mission, talked on results from the policy of teaching Spanish in the Mission schools.

Randolph Becker reported on the recently organized student council and Rev. M. A. Travis, Alamo, guest speaker, talked on development of character.

BACK FROM TRIP

COMBES—Mrs. Herbert Hollida and children have just returned from a trip to Livingston where they visited relatives. They were accompanied there by her father, Mr. Armstrong, of Harlingen.

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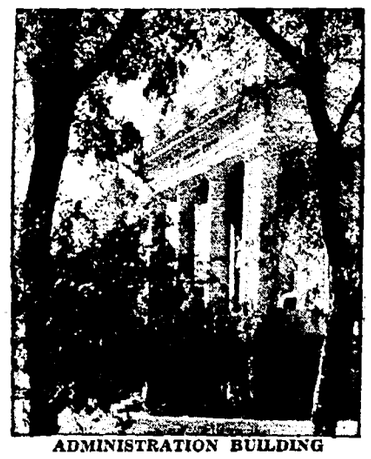

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Papayas Aid Skin:

If you've had the idea that you needn't cultivate a taste for papayas because you don't have stomach trouble, you know only a few of the things papayas do for you.

Capsules of concentrated papayas, recently introduced in the cosmetic trade to be used for skin beautifying, are meeting a ready demand.

Youngsters passing through the acne stage are said to find the new papaya lotion a definte correction and both men and women use it as a general treatment.

Papain in the papayas—the agent that aids digestion—also has a tendency to dissolve old or dead tissue resulting in a very gradual skin peeling.

Judging from the present abundant crop of papayas—usually there are dozens of the gourd-looking fruits hanging around the neck of an otherwise barren stalk—there will be plenty to give the Valley a plentiful supply of pulchritude.

Comics aren't Comis:

What to do about the color "comic" magazines that children are reading insatiably is a problem most parents are debating.

Comic strips in the newspapers have not prompted objections on the part of educators or parents but the rise of a certain type of "action" comics, selling about ten million monthly, has given the present generation of parents a totally new problem.

The old dime novels in which an occasional redskin bit the dust were classic literature compared to the sadistice drivel which usually has a child for the victim and depend for their appeal on mayhem, murder, torture and abduction.

To substitute something that is good for something that is harmful is better than prohibition, parents have learned and for that reason probably will welcome a new magazine, "True Comics."

In full color, the first issue, just out, deals with exciting events of past and present history and is expected to be an antidote for the lurid "comic" magazines widely read by children in spite of the increasing protests of parents and teachers.

As a matter of fact, the first series of pictures, representing the drama-filled life of Winston Churchill, puts in the pale the most fantastic adventures of supermen in the fiction comics.

Magazines by Air:

Another new venture in the magazine publishing field is to be the special lightweight edition of Time that will be delivered by plane in foreign lands over Pan-American Airways.

Published in English, the air express edition will be almost identical with Time editorially, but will have advertising sold separately and will be printed on special lightweight paper to lessen cost of air delivery.

Beginning May 5, the service will be inaugurated in Latin America and later extended to other areas.

Gardener's Bible:

A boon to gardeners, whether an expert, amateur or the veriest novice, will be the new Garden Encyclopedia which contains nearly a million words and several thousand items.

Excellent for reference, the volume not only gives plant names, characteristics, and cultural methods, but has practical suggestions for almost every sort of garden activity from lighting effects to be installed for night illumination to what to plant as a screen for the barbecue pit.

The new revised edition of the old standby for garden-minded hobbyists is published by Wm. H. Wise & Co., New York.

Help Civic Music:

Valley Civic Music Association leaders Monday will launch their annual drive for memberships.

With so many projects, from Valley clinics and child welfare projects to aid for war victims in Europe and China, claiming time and energy of Valley folks it's going to be harder this year to get a sufficient number of workers for the membership canvass.

The Civic Music Association — like the Cultural Arts, Inc.— has proved its worth.

Both are important assets and Valley citizens benefit to some extent even if they never attend a concert.

The Valley is gaining recognition steadily as a region where cultural needs are met by bringing in artists and speakers who usually accept bookings only in large cities.

If you're a member of Civic Music and want to hear next year's programs, don't wait for the committee to search you out.

Get your name on the dotted line as quickly as possible and see that your friends and relatives interested do the same.

Every lift that can be given the membership enrollment this year helps to conserve precious time and energy that is being drafted for a variety of causes—most of them good.

Style Note:

Rings are being worn outside gloves again.

Consumer's Aids Topic For Program

HARLINGEN—A vast amount of data, helpful in buying for home needs and for personal use, was presented in the unusual "consumers' guide" program given at the meeting of the Harlingen Study Club Thursday.

Members answered roll call by confessing pet extravagances and economies.

Mrs. F. T. Neary was leader of the program. She explained the purpose of consumer education is the advancement of consumers as a class and through them the advancement of the community as a whole. She gave excerpts from several symposiums based on extensive research and gave expert opinion on subjects ranging from pointers on buying rugs to drugs.

Further amplifying the program theme, Mrs. S. G. Stringer directed a forum on consumer topics. Participating in the question and answer presentations were Mrs. J. J. Willingham, Mrs. C. A. Macy, and Mrs. J. J. Murray. Special emphasis was given to new products and materials and new terms coined to denote certain qualities or standards in various products.

Affording a delightful postlude to the study period was a talk by Mrs. William L. Trammell on flower arrangement. She illustrated some of her suggestions by drawing attention to the beautiful floral groups arranged by the hostesses, Mrs. A. E. McClendon and Mrs. Paul Brown.

"Butterfly," by Greig, was the lovely composition played by Mary March, a guest, ending the program.

Calendar

HARLINGEN

MONDAY

3:15 a.m. James Dishman P.-T. A. meets at Combes for business session.

9:30 a.m. Flower Lovers Club meets with Mrs. Dan Murphy, 1206 E. Polk.

12 noon Membership luncheon for Harlingen Business and Professional Women's Club at the Woman's Building.

7:45 p.m. Junior Study Club entertains with open house at the Woman's Building.

2:50 p.m. Executive board meet-Stephen F. Austin P.-T. A. meets.

3:15 p.m. Bowie P.-T. A. meets at the school.

3:15 p.m. General meeting of Stephen F. Austin P.-T. A. at the school.

5 p.m. Rainbow Assembly meets at the Masonic Hall.

3:30 p.m. Sam Houston Parents and Educators meet at the school.

2:30 p.m. Exevutive board meeting of Sam Houston Parents and Educators in Mrs. John Thomas' room.

TUESDAY

3 p.m. Circle meetings of the Methodist Society of Christian Service will be held as follows: one with Mrs. M. L. Rash, 1001 E. Filmore; two with Mrs. B. J. Drews, 614 E. Jackson; three with Mrs. Joe Wood, 405 W. Buchanan; four with Mrs. Frank Lee, 602 W. Pierce; five with Mrs. Van R. Wiggins, 1122 E. Pierce; and six with Mrs. G. O. Bryant, 314 E. Polk.

2:30 p.m. St. Alban's Episcopal Guild meets with Mrs. W. E. Bush, 105 W. Filmore with Mrs. Roy Jandrew as co-hostess.

9:30 a.m. Executive board of Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary meets at the church.

12:30 noon Circle four, Presbyterian Auxiliary, meets for covered dish luncheon and final meeting of church year with Mrs. G. W. Crofoot.

3 p.m. Christian Women's Council meets at the church.

WEDNESDAY

4 p.m. Junior American Legion Auxiliary meets with Almeda Hornaday.

12:15 p.m. Past Matrons Club has meeting at the home of Mrs. Morris Chaudoin.

9:30 a.m. Harlingen Day Nursery meets at the Woman's Building.

3:15 p.m. Music Lovers Club meets at the Woman's Building.

THURSDAY

5:30 p.m. Officers of Chapter 641, O.E.S. honors past matrons and patrons with covered dish supper at the Masonic Hall.

8 p.m. Dunkers Club meets at the home of Mrs. Mary Craig.

Mother, Son Visit

Mrs. Allan Shivers of Port Arthur is shown with her 9-months old son, John Shary Shivers, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Shary of Mission and Sharyland. Mrs. Shivers arrived ten days ago for a visit, staying over until Mr. Shary's birthday which was celebrated last evening with a large party which carried out a tradition of several years. Senator Shivers arrived Friday to join his family and they will leave during the week-end to return home. Mrs. Shivers is the former Miss Maryalice Shary. (Mission Times Photo.)

Lyford Bride Is Honoree For Shower

LYFORD—Mrs. Bentley Barnett was honoree for a pretty bridal shower given at the week-end at the Stillman club house. Hostesses were Mrs. John Jurcok, Mrs. Emil Speiss, Misses Evelyn and Annie Mae Dudensing and Miss Myrtle Schultz. The bride is the former Miss Selma Schultz.

A color theme of green and white was noted in decoration of the long table which held many useful gifts.

Fay and Gay Barnett of Santa Rosa played a number of musical selections and games were enjoyed.

The hostesses served sandwiches, cake, candy hearts and coffee to Mesdames Bentley Barnett, W. L. Barnett, Emil Speiss, Wm. Schultz, G. W. Wilbur, W. A. Cooley, John Jurock, C. O. Carter, C. W. Freeman, R. L. Cooley, R. T. Dudensing, J. J. Dudensing, F. Lewer, J. Wreden, K. Klosterman, Leslie Buffington, Zack Williams, Arby Evans, R. L. Schlessinger, Henry Buss, W. B. Mills, J. H. Jordan, Arthur Bucksler, and M. L. Kochnoke, Misses Fay and Gay Barnett, Evelyn and Annie Mae Dudensine, and Miss Myrtle Schultz.

A large group of friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. Bentley Barnett Thursday evening at the home of the bride's parents.

Games were enjoyed during the evening and refreshments were served in the late evening.

The couple has moved to Harlingen and are residing on West Jackson street.

VISITING MOTHER

LOS FRESNOS — Mrs. Moss Hall and daughter Ruby Louise of Gainsville, Texas arrived Wednesday to be with Mrs. Hall's sister, Mrs. R. N. Johnson, who suffered a paralytic stroke early this week.

Tri-Color Theme Noted For Party

DONNA—Miss Mae Wood scored high and the hostess second when Miss Sally Weaver entertained her bridge club and one guest, Miss Martha Robinson, Monday night. The prizes were wrapped in red, white and blue and tallies bore Washington pictures and insignia.

The same patriotic colors were noted in the shrimp cocktail served over blue bowls of ice placed on red plates with Russia tea in blue glasses.

Other guests were Mrs. Vera Kirkpatrick and the Misses Marie Moye, Nell Moye, Virginia Casey, and Louise Boyce.

Plans were made for decoration to be carried out by the Donna Garden club at the meeting of the 10th district P.-T.A. in Donna April 2, 3 and 4, when members of the Garden club met Monday at the Legion building.

Arrangements also were made for preparing gift corsages to be presented to visitors at the banquet at the Casa de Palmas in McAllen March 13 for delegates to the state Garden club convention.

Mrs. C. L. Carey entertained her Sunday school class and two guests with an evening party at her home Monday. After an evening of delightful games the hostess served refreshments to her guests.

To Elect Officers

HARLINGEN — Election of officers will be held Monday at the regular meeting of the Flower Lovers Club to be held at 9:30 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Dan Murphy. A plant exchange will be carried out.

Program For Zone Meeting Is Announced

HARLINGEN — Program for the regular meeting of the South-East zone of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service has been announced by Mrs. G. S. Partain, Santa Rosa, zone chairman.

Registration will be at 9:30 a.m. followed by formal opening of the meeting at 10 a.m. with a hymn, prayer by Mrs. A. C. Bell, Primera; and Scripture by Mrs. Partain.

Mrs. Eugene Torbett, Harlingen, will introduce special guests; a business session is to be held; Mrs. R. S. Chambers, Donna, district secretary, will report on district work; and Mrs. C. W. McKeehan will give a solo.

The feature of the morning session will be the message brought by Rev. P. M. Caraway, Harlingen.

Lunch will be served and recess observed between 12 and 1:30 o'clock.

After the opening hymn, Mrs. C. L. Hunter, Brownsville, will give the prayer opening the afternoon session: Scripture will be from Ephesians; and Mrs. D. E. Ewing, Harlingen, will talk on "The Unchanging Flag."

Report from the Valley Institute, Pharr, will be given by Miss Bertha Cox. Committee reports, roll call, and other business will be carried out. Mrs. Stanley Crockett, Harlingen, will give a solo and Mrs. T. Rucker Stanford, Lyford, will have charge of the consecration service, "Christ the Prince of Peace."

Trio Honored In Harlingen

HARLINGEN — Viistors and members met Thursday evening in the Masonic Hall for an O.E.S. meeting with Mrs. Mary M. Bowers, worthy matron, presiding.

Arrangements were made for a covered dish supper to be given by officers of the chapter honoring past matrons and past patrons Thursday evening, March 6, at 6:30 p.m.

In accordance with custom established in the Eastern Star, the worthy matron honored three members. Recognition was given Mrs. Ella Grimsell for an especially notable record of membership, Mrs. Ada Koniakowsky who has been outstanding in her sponsorship of the local assembly of Rainbow colors, and Mrs. Martha Smith for courtesies extended the worthy matron this year. Each was presented by Mrs. Bowers with a huge bouquet of marigolds.

Mrs. Neva Twiss gave a reading on the origin of the Star Spangled Banner written by Francis Scott Key and Mrs. Norma Hand gave a reading which related indicents in the life of Martha Washington.

A refreshment plate of chicken salad with dainties and tea was served by Mrs. Lily Liston and Mrs. Lola Ramsey.

Next meeting of the chapter will be March 14.

Sadie Hawkins Day Observed In Pharr

PHARR— "Sadie Hawkins" Day was observed here Friday by the Girl Reserves of the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School, with students attending school in "hobo" attire. At one o'clock in the afternoon a race was staged on the school campus by the students, the object being that the girls catch their future "husband." Following the race, a mock wedding was presented by the students on the stage of the high school's auditorium.

GUESTS IN ALAMO

ALAMO—Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Drennan over the weekend are Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Newman of Houston.

Widely Known Authority On Horticulture Slated As Convention Speaker

Valley Garden Club Leaders Make Final Plans, Convention To Be March 12-13-14

HARLINGEN — Wm. Hunt of Chapel Hill, N. C., nationally celebrated horticulturalist and gardening authority, will be the principal speaker at the Texas Federation of Garden Clubs convention which opens in Harlingen March 12. Announcements regarding the program were made and convention plans were completed at the meeting Friday afternoon held at the home of Mrs. O. E. Stuart, president of the Valley Garden Council.

Committee Meets

Present were presidents of 18 of the 9 clubs in the Council, which is to be hostess to the convention, the Bougainvillea chairmen of the clubs, and officers of the council forming a group of about 50.

Mr. Hunt has addressed the Texas Federation and other state conventions of garden clubs and is much in demand as a speaker, Mrs. Will Lake, Ft. Worth, state president, stated in messages to Valley club members.

Speaker Well-Known

He has appeared over much of the country, serving at judging schools on horticulture. He has botanized much of the southwest recently and probably will have as his topic "Making the most of Gardens in the South."

It was stated that Dr .Hugh Finley, who had been tentatively slated for the convention program, will be unoble to attend.

To Arrange Flowers

The flower arrangement feature will be conducted by Mrs. Walter Crow of Dallas. Mrs. Crow is much in demand in Dallas and other cities for her lectures on flower arrangement. She will use Valley flowers exclusively. Mrs. L. Wharton of Donna will assist her in obtaining materials and with other details.

Persons desiring to hear either or both lectures without registering for the entire convention may be admitted with payment of one dollar for both events or 75 cents for one. Provision also has been made for persons desiring to purchase single tickets for any of the luncheons or banquets. Mrs. Henry Carlisle is chairman for tickets for the individual events of the convention.

Registrations $5.00

Registrations of $5 for the entire convention should be sent to Mrs. L. R. DuBois, Harlingen. Payment of registration entitles the member to all sessions of the convention, two luncheons, banquet, barbecue, merienda, and other events. The evening meal Thursday, March 13, will be at Landrum's in Brownsville instead of in Matamoros after a sightseeing trip in Matamoros.

Cleanup and general improvement in all Valley areas during the period remaining before the convention will be strongly urged by garden club members in the various towns.

Co-Operation Necessary

Co-operation is also being asked in obtaining a sufficient number of cars to take delegates on the tour of the Bougainvillea Trail and to other events during the three days. Harry Ratliff, Harlingen chamber of commerce secretary, is to be in charge of the transportation project and car owners are asked to get in touch with him.

Calendar

ALAMO

MONDAY

8:00 a. m. Order of Eastern Star will have a Texas program with guest speakers.

TUESDAY

2:30 p. m. Garden Club at the Community Church.

3:00 p. m. Baptist Women's Missionary Society.

WEDNESDAY

10:00 a. m. Red Cross sewing room will be open all day.

3:30 p. m. Grammar School P.-T.A. election of officers.

2:30 p. m. Wednesday Bridge Club.

THURSDAY

2:30 p. m. Community Church Ladies' Aid. There will be a Missionary playlet "What Are The Churches Doing About It."

Centers In Kitchen Discussed In Talk

PROGRESO—The Progreso Home Demonstration Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. F. W. Hatch. After a short business session, Miss Marie Miller gave a talk on "Convenient Centers in the Kitchen."

Coffee and cake were served.

VISITORS RETURN

PHARR—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hirons returned to their home in San Antonio Friday following a visit of several days here with his mother, Mrs. J. E. Hirons.

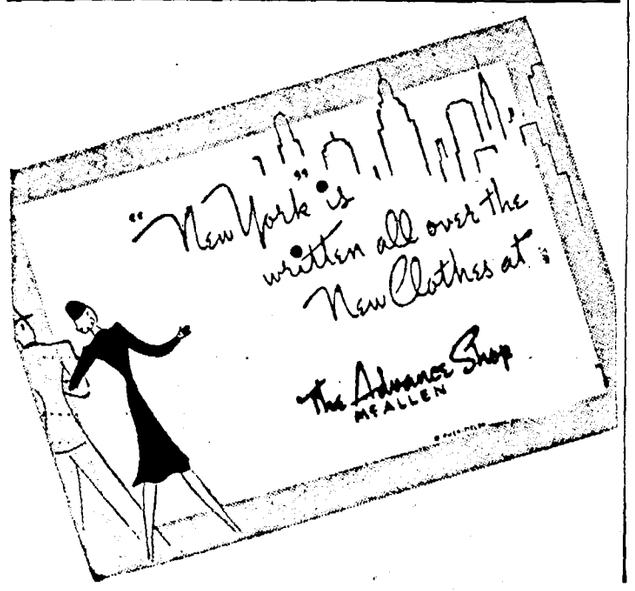
Election Is Slated For Bowie P.-T.A.

HARLINGEN—Election of officers will be held at the meeting of the Bowie Parent-Teacher Association Monday at 3:15 at the school. Mrs. J. S. Cohn is to be speaker on "Character is What We Make It."

Carolyn Colvin will play an accordion solo and first grade room mothers will be hostesses.

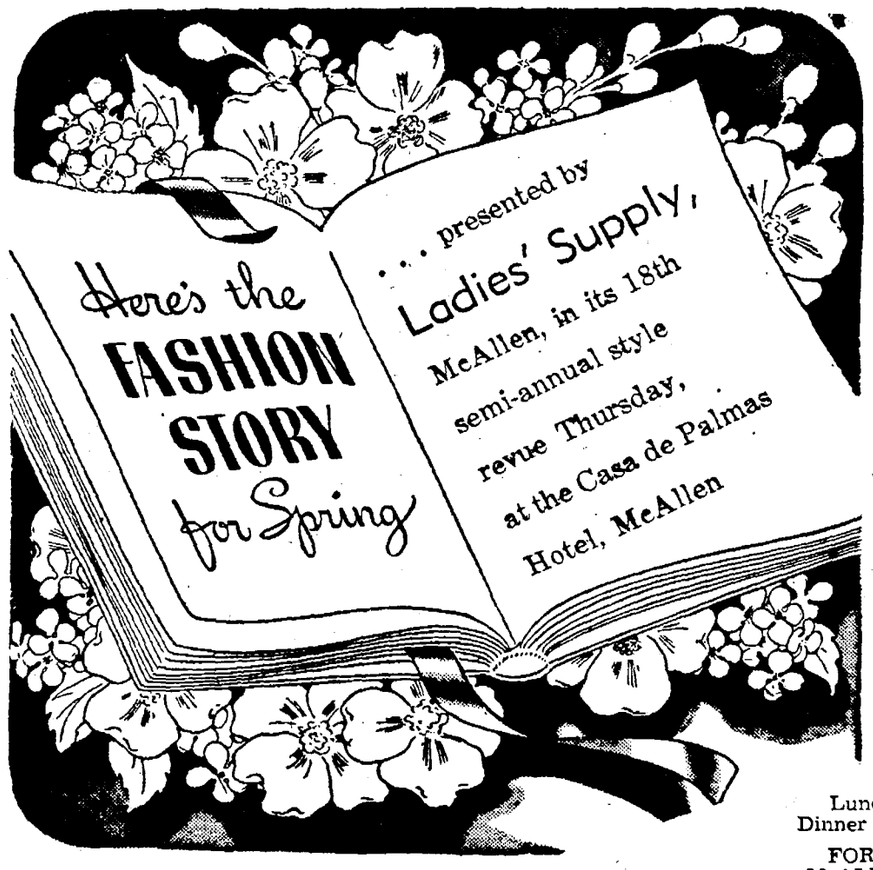
MOVE TO SAN ANTONIO

PHARR — Mr. and Mrs. Jack G. Scales and daughter, Miss Edna Ruth Scales, have moved to San Antonio to make their home.



ALL-AMERICAN FASHIONS TO BE FEATURED IN REVUE

Outstanding Valley Social Event Set for March 6th Luncheon and Dinner



McALLEN—Valley junior misses and matrons will go all-American Thursday when Mrs. Zoe Brasher of Ladies' Supply, McAllen, presents her firm's 18th semi-annual style revue at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

That America has definitely wrested the laurels for fashion supremacy from any and all contenders will be illustrated to the more than 400 guests expected to attend the luncheon and dinner presentations of the revue. Every costume shown will be of strictly American design—no adaptations of foreign originals: not a line, color or idea that was not born in the U. S. A., says Mrs. Brasher.

Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p. m. For the evening event dinner will be served from 6 o'clock on, with the fashion revue starting at 7:30 p. m. Since the inauguration of the dinner showing last year, many men join the women as guests at this outstanding social event.

Reservations should be made not later than Wednesday at 9 p. m. for the luncheon and not later than Thursday noon for the dinner.

Luncheon Starts at 12:30 p. m.
Dinner 6 to 7:30 p. m.—Revue at 7:30

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Mrs. Brenner Hostess For Pretty Event

RAYMONDVILLE — In recognition of the birthday anniversary of Henry W. Longfellow, Mrs. L. C. Brenner gave a charming breakfast on Thursday morning to a few friends.

Lines from famous poems marked the tallies. Guests guessed the poems from which the quotation came. A patriotic motif was carried out successfully.

Mrs. David Mahood of Houston and Mrs. C. D. Ritter were guests and members were Mesdames G. E. Bennack, Roger Robinson, Harry Douthit, Earl Gilliland, John Fambrough, and J. C. Brandt.

Mrs. Bennack received high award, linen embroidered in blue stars.

Delicate gold-banded china held the dainty refreshments served by Mrs. W. G. Hecht to club friends on Wednesday afternoon when they gathered to play bridge in her pretty home.

Red cherry salad comprised the substantial part of the repast and cake topped with hearts, clubs, diamonds and spades of jello completed the refreshments.

Mrs. Carl Miller and Mrs. J. C. Brandt played for absent members. Members present were Mesdames John Fambrough, Gene Smith, Harvey Geis, C. C. Conley, Lud Snow, E. M. Tomme, C. N. Howard, Don Hightower, C. D. Ritter and J. G. Caudle, with Mrs. Fambrough receiving high award.

Nasturtiums made the pretty home of Mrs. L. O. Robbins gay and colorful for the delicious breakfast she served to members of her club on Tuesday morning.

Enjoying the typical Valley breakfast were Mrs. Lud Snow and Mrs. J. G. Caudle, guests, and Mesdames R. H. Fackelman, J. K. Smith, F. B. Wilson, E. H. Jamison, Mervin Hayes and H. E. Tomme, with Mrs. Hayes making high score in bridge.

Methodist Groups Meet At McAllen

McALLEN—Mrs. Noel G. Ice was hostess Thursday to a business and program meeting of the Rebecca circle of the First Methodist Church when each member told her experience with the traveling basket the circle sponsored.

Mrs. F. W. Gunn gave the devotional while Mrs. W. W. Ellison and Mrs. G. C. Ehlinger led the day's topic of discussion.

As a program feature Mrs. L. M. Roush of Chicago described her work in the Marcy Assembly of Chicago.

At tea time refreshments were served to 20 members and four guests who were Mrs. L. M. Roush, Mrs. A. C. Ely of Kansas, Mrs. B. D. Atthley of Iowa and Mrs. Rose Ackley of Kansas.

The topic, "Our Brotherhood," was discussed Thursday at the Naomi circle of the First Methodist Church by Mrs. Clyde Ayleswarth and Mrs. Fred A. Rice, when it met at the home of Mrs. J. F. Palmer. Mrs. DeWitt Haden, Jr., had charge of the devotional.

Refreshments were served to guests, Mesdames C. O. Gilbertson, Jimmy Overstreet, C. Forsman and the members.

Austin P.-T.A. To Meet Monday

HARLINGEN — Members of the Stephen F. Austin P.-T.A. will hold a regular meeting Monday, March 3, at 3:15 p. m. at the school. Sergeant Smith of the State Highway Patrol will give a talk on "Safety" and a musical number will be presented by students.

A meeting of the executive board has been scheduled for 2:30 p. m.

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Leader In School Events

Miss Rosemary Atkins has a leading part in club and campus activities at the San Benito high school where she is a senior. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Atkins, she is president of the Home Economics Club, secretary-treasurer of the senior class, reporter for the National Honor Society, and member of Quill and Scroll Club, Glee Club, Dramatic Club, and Press Club. (Holbrook Studio.)

Harlingen Bride-Elect Honoree For Courtesy Accenting Spring Theme

HARLINGEN — A pretty compliment was extended to Miss Grace Bookout, bride-elect of Jim Porch, Thursday evening when Mrs. L. H. Maston of Pharr and Mrs. W. L. Smith entertained with an open house and shower. The interesting hospitality was given from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. E. Allen.

Miss Bookout, only daughter of Mrs. O. E. Bookout, will become the bride of Mr. Porch in rites to be read at eight o'clock Sunday morning, March 9, in the Baptist Church at Santa Rosa.

Spring blossoms in yellow or harmonizing shades were used about the home, making a pretty floral environment. Lovely gold calendulas were used on the table in the dining room which was lighted by yellow candles in crystal holders. Punch was served from a crystal bowl and all appointments for the table were crystal.

Alternating during the evening in serving punch were Miss Mary Lester and Miss Louise Bookout, Santa Rosa. Miss Katherine Pennington assisted in the dining room.

About fifty guests inscribed their names in the bride's book which was presided over by Mrs. Robert Bookout in the late evening and by Mrs. Jack Gray of McAllen during the first period.

The honoree received many lovely gifts.

Adding to the pleasure of the guests was a series of accordion selections played at intervals during the evening by Miss Doris Thompson of La Feria.

Pharr Visitor Is Honored

PHARR — Mrs. Harry N. Britten entertained informally honoring her cousin, Mrs. G. W. Whitfield of Okemah, Oklahoma, at the Britten home Tuesday.

The guests were friends of the hostess and honoree, whose hobbies were collecting shells and rocks, and in keeping of the hobby idea, a visit was made to the home of Mrs. E. J. Kelso to view her large rock collection. The group also visited the beautiful yards of Mrs. Ashley Cawthon in Pharr, and Mrs. T. C. Downs in Alamo.

The Britten home was decorated with arrangements of a variety of garden spring flowers.

Guests included the honoree, Mrs. G. W. Whitfied of Okemah, Okla., Mrs. Lula Law of Ainsworth, Neb., Mrs. Eli Sosted, Bimidji, Minn.; Mrs. Byron C. Bary, Benton Harbob, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Chalfant, Harlingen; Mrs. W. F. Keller, McAllen; Mrs. Lena Britten, Mrs. Ashley Cawthon, and Mrs. R. O. Brewer.

MAKE VALLEY VISIT

ALAMO—Miss Lucille Toothaker and Miss Katherine Melton of Pharr, who are employed at San Antonio, are at home over the weekend. They were acccompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Etter of San Antonio on her first trip to the Valley.

Tri-Color Theme Chosen For Party

RAYMONDVILLE—A glorious array of red, white and blue blossoms in geraniums, orange blossoms and bluebonnets was used in room decorations Thursday evening when Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gilliland entertained informally.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Glarner, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hightower, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ritter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Akard, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Youngblood, and Mrs. J. C. Brandt.

Awards for high scores in the games were presented to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ritter, Mrs. Hightower and Mr. Akard.

Delicious refreshments marked the close of the evening.

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Spring Style Show Is Set For Thursday

McALLEN—What is "all American" acording to Dame Fashion's edicts will be shown in the 18th semi-annual fashion revue the Ladies Supply will present Thursday at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

Since the fashion shows have become "musts" on Valley society's calendar, again this time two performances will be given, one at the luncheon hour and the second at the dinner hour, Mrs. Zoe Regan, Ladies Supply proprietor, said.

Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p. m. The fashion show with 12 prominent Valley misses and junior matrons, as models will get under way at the same hour. Although dinner will be served from 6 p. m. on, the second display of styles will not begin until 7:30 p. m.

Reservations for luncheon must be made by 9 p. m. Wednesday and by Thursday noon for dinner. An orchestra will play during both events.

Last fall approximately 600 spectators enjoyed the style show.

This spring with the radical changes in shoulders, bodices, jackets and what not still more women—and men, too— are expected to be on hand to see what American designers have fashioned for the country's style conscious women.

Calendar

McALLEN

MONDAY

Mrs. J. Lyle Hill will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

9:30 a.m. The Junior Service League board of directors will meet at Mrs. J. K. Boettger's home.

3:00 p.m. The McAllen Music Club will meet with Mrs. Scott Dougherty.

8:00 p.m. Mrs. John Griffin will be hostess to the G-Women's Club.

TUESDAY

2:30 p.m. The Dorcas Class of the First Methodist Church will meet at the church.

7:00 p.m. Members of the McAllen Junior High School Parent-Teacher Association will have a father's night program and covered dish supper at the school cafeteria.

8:00 p.m. The Beta Sigma Phi will meet with Mrs. John Beckenholdt.

WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Conrad Roitsch will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

The Red Cross sewing room will be open at the Singer Sewing Machine Company office.

1:00 p.m. The Junior Service League will entertain at luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

3:00 p.m. Mrs. Paul Richerson will be hostess to the McAllen Study Club.

THURSDAY

12:30 p.m. The Ladies Supply style show will be presented at luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

2:30 p.m. The Altar Society will meet at the rectory.

7:30 p.m. The Ladies Supply style show will be presented at dinner at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY

The Ladies Altar society of the Sacred Heart church will hold its regular business meeting at 3:30 p. m. in the parish hall.

MONDAY

Women's Social Service circles of the Methodist church meet at the following places: Lucy Ray circle with Mrs. C. L. Parnell; Young Matrons' with Mrs. George Matriciana; No. 1 at the church; No. 2 with Mrs. Harry Lovelace at 130 Ebony drive, and No. 3 at the church. All meetings will begin at 3:30 p. m.

Hope Chapter No. 124, Order of Eastern Star, will meet at 8 p. m. at the Brownsville Masonic temple.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of the Advent (Episcopal) will meet at 2:30 p. m. Monday to begin a Lenten study program. A regular Lenten service will be held at 4:30 p. m. Monday.

The Pan-American Social Service Club will meet at 10 a. m. Monday with Mrs. C. N. Warren, on Highway Four.

TUESDAY

The Treble Clef Music club will meet at 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Milton H. West at 611 Washington street.

WEDNESDAY

Wednesday Study club meets at the Episcopal parish house, 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Honoree For Dance

Miss Louise Hale, chosen as "sweetheart" for Alpha Theta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, was honoree for a dance given last week-end by the sorority. (Holbrook Studio.)

Red Cross Sewing Planned By Group

HARLINGEN—Plans for doing Red Cross sewing at their next meeting were made by members of the Dunkers Club D. S., Thursday evening. A short business session was held at the May-Tee shop before the group went to the motion picture show.

Afterwards Miss Lois Myers was hostess to the group.

The sewing bee will be held Thursday at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Mary Craig with Miss Frances Payne as hostess.

Soil Specialist Is Speaker For P.-T.A.

McALLEN—Dr. George Schultz, soil conservation specialist, will be the principal speaker at the father's night meeting and covered dish supper members of the Lincoln school Parent-Teacher Association will serve Tuesday at the school cafeteria.

Supper will be served at 7 p.m., members announced.

Also a feature of the program will be musical numbers presented by the Duffield Sisters trio.

San Benito Group To Present Program

HARLINGEN — Members of the San Benito Music Club will be guests and present the program Wednesday for the regular meeting of the Music Lovers Club at the Woman's Building. Dr. Mamie Pester is president of the San Benito Club.

A Texas Day program is planned.

Each member of the Harlingen club is privileged to bring guests.

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Open House Honors Head Of W.C.T.U.

HARLINGEN—Annual open house honoring the mother club with other junior clubs of the Valley as guests will be observed Monday evening, March 3, by the Junior Study Club at the Woman's building. All members of junior clubs in the Valley are invited to be guests.

Mrs. Fain Arrington is in charge of the program for the evening which will have as the principal feature a review of the stage play, "The Man Who Came To Dinner." Mrs. Erin McAskill, Edinburg, will give the dramatic review.

Music will be furnished by Mrs. Fred Petch of Donna who is to be accompanied by her mother, Mrs. F. O. Fleuriet.

Mrs. Agnew Hostess For Group At Bridge

WESLACO — Mrs. Andrew Agnew entertained with a lovely courtesy at her home having as her guests the members of the Wednesday luncheon club and out of club guests.

Elaborate arrangements of calendulas decorated the rooms for entertaining with a delightful afternoon playing bridge. Mrs. E. A. Weber won high score award.

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Upper Valley Visitors Are Entertained

McALLEN—Social affairs in the City of Palms this week were highlighted by two "Lazy Susan" luncheons at which Mrs. Smith Jones honored as many Upper Valley visitors and a number of intimate friends at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

For the latter Thursday when Mrs. John Conway of Detroit, Michigan, was the honored guest, pale pink was matched with white for effective decorative touches. Pink gladioli, pink roses and white stock in high arrangement centered the buffet table where Mrs. John T. Lomax presided over the silver Lazy Susan service.

Guests at this time included Mrs. Conway, Mrs. S. L. Miller, Mrs. Al Weir, Mrs. Charles Starlin, Mrs. Lee Green, Mrs. J. E. Wilkins, Mrs. J. W. Ferguson, Mrs. Roy Conway and Mrs. George Gaddy.

When Mrs. Allan Shivers of Port Arthur, daughter and houseguest of the John Sharys, was honored earlier in the week white and green combined with airy effect for decorations. A huge arrangement of white stock and chrysanthemums, encircled with graceful sprays of fern, graced one end of the table and the Lazy Susan service the other.

Preceding luncheon cocktails were served.

Guests were Mrs. J. V. Carpenter, Mrs. John Shary, Mrs. T. E. Vessels, Mrs. N. E. Buescher, Mrs. I. B. Sigler, Mrs. E. A. Morris, Mrs. Homer Gunn, Mrs. W. W. Dees, Mrs. John T. Lomax, Mrs. Annie Jo Jones, Mrs. C. A. Marshall and Mrs. J. H. Gregory.

Harlingen Members Attend Valley Meet

HARLINGEN — Harlingen members attending the Valley Federation of Business and Professional Women's Club meeting Thursday night in San Benito included:

Mesdames Ophelia Hill, Ida McCrum, Ruth Briscoe, Josephine Young, Augusta Neely, and Myrtle Householder, Misses Eleanor Sikora, Vera Turner, Alyne Ashworth, Myrtle Benedict, Eva Baker, and Josephine Myrick.

Club Is Entertained By Mrs. D. L. Vance

BROWNSVILLE—The Stitch and Chat Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Don Lee Vance, with several old members, one new member and two guests present.

Mrs. Ruth Jones was taken in as a new member. Guests included Mrs. Joyce Newton of Blackwell, Oklahoma, and Mrs. K. M. Black of Corpus Christi.

Members drew names to select "mystery sisters," who they will remember with presents on birthdays and wedding anniversaries.

Next meeting wil be held at the home of Mrs. P. R. Crockett on Thursday, March 13.

Meeting Is Monday

HARLINGEN—Mrs. L. W. Wahler and Miss Jennie Case will be speakers at the meeting of the Sam Houston Parents and Educators Monday at 3:30 p. m. Their topic will be "The Headache of Home Work."

R. B. Creager Will Be Guest Speaker For D.A.R. Program

BROWNSVILLE—The Du Bois Hite chapter of the D.A.R. will meet Saturday, March 8 at 12:30 p.m. at the El Jardin Hotel for a regular luncheon meeting.

Guest speaker for the occasion will be the Honorable R. B. Creager whose subject will be "The Lease-Lend Bill."

Members of the other chapters of the D.A.R. are invited to attend and reservations can be made with Mrs. R. B. Creager, telephone number 273, Brownsville.

Meeting Is Monday

HARLINGEN — Good attendance of members is urged at the meeting of the Stephen F. Austin P.-T.A. Monday at 3:15 at the school by Mrs. R. E. Lytle, president. Officers for the coming year will be named.

At 2:30 p.m. an executive board meeting will be held.

VISIT FROM MISSION

PHARR — Mrs. Pat Lovens, and Mrs. O. W. Edwards of Mission, were the guests here Wednesday evening of Mrs. Blake Liles.

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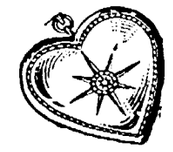

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Snapdragons Subject For Garden Club

PHARR — "Snapdragons and Their Care," was the subject for the interesting and instructive talk given by Mrs. J. W. Puckett at a meeting Thursday morning of the Pharr Garden Club, at the home of Mrs. Stanley T. Melton here.

Table flower arrangements were made by Mrs. W. G. Davis and Mrs. E. C. VanZandt. About twenty members and guests were present.

Mrs. R. H. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Verna Hansen, were co-hostesses for a meeting Wednesday afternoon of the Pharr Progress Club at the Fitzpatrick home.

The program consisted of brief reviews on several books, given by Mrs. E. C. Phillips.

Mrs. Noel Bettles, daughter of Mrs. C. L. Vernon, club member, who is leaving soon for Brownsville to make her home, was a special guest and was presented a beautiful bouquet of flowers. Mrs. J. O. Jameton, retiring president, made the presentation.

In the social hour refreshments were served to Mrs. W. R. Walters, Mrs. W. W. Chancellor, Mrs. A. A. Slayton and Mrs. Noel Bettles, out of club guests, and to the following members: Mesdames Edith Baker, Fred Ruecking, Roy Barnes, J. G. Bell, E. C. Phillips, J. W. Buzbee, C. B. Cramer, C. L. Vernon, Jno. Decker, H. E. Downs, E. E. Draeger, J. O. Jameton, Ernest Grimes, A. M. Kelley, A. J. Flowers, L. L. Lewis, M. L. Murphey, Fred Ruecking, Burt Coate, and the two hostesses, Mrs. R. H. Fitzpatrick, and Mrs. Verna Hansen.

Mrs. Henry Troppy Hostess To Group

HARLINGEN — Members of the Jolly Twelve Bunco Club were delightfully entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Henry Troppy at her home east of Hargill. Mrs. Foster Stewart was welcomed back into the group after a long siege of illness.

Games of bunco were played and prize awards made to Mrs. Claude Pollock, Mrs. Foster Stewart, and Mrs. Edward McClaugherty.

A most attractive and delicious salad plate was served to Mesdames W. E. Richards, Glen Bailey, Carl Lane, Roy Stewart, Foster Stewart, William Kieser, L. A. Francis, Claude Pollock, Edward McClaugherty, Miss Gertrude Troppy, and the hostess.

Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Foster Stewart.

Cemetery Association To Meet Tuesday

COMBES — The Combes Cemetery Association will hold a regular quarterly meeting Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. at the first Baptist church. This promises to be an important meeting as several items of business relative to the year's program are to be discussed.

Everyone interested is invited.

Duplicate Bridge Played By Guests

WESLACO—Mr. and Mrs. John Lake Couch were hosts for an evening of duplicate bridge Wednesday night. The living rooms were respendent with calendulas and nasturtiums. The hostess served a delicious salad to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Solether, Mr. and Mrs. George Harren, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pearee, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Heid, Mr. Miller Armstrong, Jr., and Mrs. J. W. MacWilliams.

Winners of scores were Mr. Solether, first; Mr. Armstrong, second; Mrs. Solether, third, and Mr. Pearre, fourth.

Mrs. Chas. Pearre Hostess In Weslaco

WESLACO—One of the most delightful courtesies of the week was given by Mrs. Charles Pearre, who entertained her Friday bridge club Mrs. H. A. Hackney was a guest Members were Mesdames Larry Heid, J. L. Couch, John Teasdale, J. W. MacWilliams, Howard Perry and George Buchanan.

The living room was decorated with colorful roses and nasturtiums and the hostess served a sweet course after the games.

Dramatic Review Popular

Mrs. Erin McAskill of Edinburg is following a busy schedule these days in addition to her duties as postmaster at Edinburg. Long popular as a dramatic reader, Mrs. McAskill is creating widespread interest with her presentation of "The Man Who Came To Dinner." Mrs. McAskill has given the review in Donna, Rio Grande City, Mission, and other Valley towns and will be presented in a similar program Monday night in Harlingen. She is to be guest entertainer for the Junior Study Club's open house at the Woman's Building. Other guests on the program will be Mrs. Fred Petch and Mrs. F. O. Fleuriet of Donna. (Kerr Studio.)

Final Play Of Series For Valley Children Will Be Wednesday

HARLINGEN — "Hans Brinker or The Silver Skates," a Clare Tree Major Theatre production brought to the municipal auditorium in Harlingen under sponsorship of the Fine Arts Club of Harlingen, will be presented Wednesday, March 5, at 4 p.m. This is the last in the series of the plays given in the Valley during the current season by the well-known players especially trained in entertaining children.

Gretel Brinker, played by Gertrude Ogsbury, has the principal role in "The Silver Skates" with Dennis Allen playing the part of Hans, her brother.

A happy picture of Holland is furnished in the six scenes, some inside a little Dutch cottage and others on the stage which has a polished surface to give the illusion of ice covering one of the famous canals of Holland.

While Hans carves, and mother knits, little Gretel (Gertrude Ogsbury) kneads the dough for the black bread which is the chief food of the Brinker family. A scene from the Clare Tree Major production of "Hans Brinker or the Silver Skates."

Mrs. C. Sammons Hostess For Bridge .

EDCOUCH — Orange blossoms lent a touch of spring to the party rooms when Mrs. Carlyle Sammons entertained her Thursday Bridge Club this week. High score award went to Mrs. A. T. Moore, while cut prize was won by Mrs. Gordon Smith.

The hostess served a sweet course to Mesdames W. C. Moore, J. B. Ewing, J. F. Byrnes, E. W. Martin, M. P. Lackland, A. T. Moore, and L. B. Doshier.

Talks About Indians

COMBES—Mrs. Aaron Hancock, Indian missionary to the Indian tribes in Oklahoma, spoke at the Baptist church here Thursday night. The meeting was well attended and much interest shown.

New Officers Are Chosen By Council

SAN BENITO — Mrs. Eugene Robinson of La Feria was elected president of the Valley Child Study Council which met Wednesday at the Stonewall Jackson Hotel with members of Today's Mothers Club of San Benito as hostesses.

Mrs. W. G. Knox, president of the local club, welcomed the group. Mrs. F. F. Koester, Weslaco, Council president, presided.

Roster of officers recommended by the nominating committee was adopted and the following names for the coming year: Mrs. Eugene Robinson, La Feria, president; Mrs. I. R. Stahl, Weslaco, vice president; Mrs. E. B. McClelland, Harlingen, second vice-president; Mrs. H. C. Aldridge, San Benito, third vice president; Mrs. Clyde Vail, La Feria, secretary; Mrs. D. Irving, McAllen, treasurer; and Mrs. Florence Seligman, Harlingen, reporter.

The club voted to make an Easter gift to the Sunny Glenn orphanage, the club's project for the year.

The program, in charge of Mrs. Marvin Burgess, featured a string ensemble composed of Mrs. F. L. Paschall, Mrs. L. W. Pratt, Mrs. O. T. Roots, and Louis Valley, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Arthur Moore, and dance numbers by Jackie Buesing who was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Roy Smith.

A talk on the value of music to the child was given by J. C. Hall, director of the school band.

Exchange Of Plants Observed By Club

BROWNSVILLE — A very successful annual plant exchange was conducted here Saturday by the Brownsville Civic League and Garden club.

With Mrs. W. J. Vertrees as general chairman, the annual exchange was held at the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce.

Many flower lovers brought seeds, cuttings and rooted plants and exchanged them for others brought by other persons.

Others assisting Mrs. Vertrees at the chamber, were Mrs. Volney Taylor, Sr., Mrs. Wallace Reed, Mrs. Augustine Celaya, Sr., Mrs. G. W. Johnson and Mrs. A. W. Neck, Sr.

A. E. Campbell Is Birthday Honoree

HARLINGEN — A birthday surprise party honoring A. E. Campbell was enjoyed recently with Mrs. Campbell as hostess at their home. Many pleasing gifts were presented to the honor guest.

Delightful refreshments were served.

Guests were Mrs. W. A. McLemore, Mr. and Mrs. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kilbourn, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Campbell, Mrs. A. C. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Campbell, Miss Eloise Kilbourn, Ruth, Alice, and Betty Jo Weaver, Paul Boyd, Louise Kerr, Wyland Campbell, Shelly Gross, Viola Mae Killian, Margie Mae Boyd, Clayton McLemore, Hazel Mae Warner, James Bennet, Verda Nelle Weaver, Ernest Nash, Vera Belle Weaver, and Charles Weaver.

Girl Scouts Hear First Aid Lecture

DONNA — Bernard Fromlath, Donna scoutmaster, spoke to the Donna Girl Scouts on "First Aid" at their regular meeting Thursday afternoon. A hike and picnic supper at the city water works park followed.

Guest Speaker

PHARR—Dr. A. W. Hancock, Indian missionary from McAlester, Oklahoma, was guest speaker for a meeting Thursday afternoon of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church.

Mrs. T. A. Wall, Jr.

Mrs. T. A. Wall, Jr., above, is among McAllen's most recent brides. She is the former Miss Lois Priestley, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Priestley. A graduate of McAllen schools, she has always been among the city's most popular young misses. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wall of Weslaco. The couple are at home at 206 South Broadway in McAllen.

Book Review Set For Tuesday Meet Of Catholic Ladies

HARLINGEN — St. Anthony's Guild will present Mrs. Frank May in a book review Tuesday afternoon March 4 at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Warren W. Galloway at 1206 E. Tyler. At this time, Mrs. John Tucker and Mrs. Galloway will be co-hostesses to the monthly meeting of the guild.

"Embezzeled Heaven" a recent best seller by Frank Werfel, is the book to be reviewed by Mrs. May. The story deals with a woman who attempts to buy her way into heaven and the review promises an entertaining afternoon to the listeners.

A short business session will precede the review.

All Catholic ladies of Harlingen are extended a cordial invitation.

Club Will Sponsor Clinic In Edcouch

EDCOUCH—Mrs. C. W. Vandervort was hostess to the Lone Star Home Demonstration Club Thursday.

Mrs. James Barr was named representative to the county council where two delegates are to be chosen to attend the State Home Demonstration Association meeting.

The club voted to sponsor a child health clinic. Mesdames Howard Jarrett, C. W. Vandervort and Leslie Hughes were named as a committee to assist in the set up of the clinic.

Mrs. McKim announced that enough applications had been received to open a mattress center at Edcouch. This will also be sponsored by the Home Demonstration Club.

Mrs. Bill Briton was enrolled as a new member. The hostess served a pretty refreshment course.

P.-T.A. To Meet

COMBES—The James Dishman P.-T. A. will have an important business meeting at the school on Monday at 3:15 p. m.

Pair Recently Wed Honored By Dinner

EDCOUCH—An enjoyable event of Monday night was the dinner given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Vess Whittle, whose marriage was an event of Saturday, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren M. Bremmer, bride and groom of three weeks. The hospitality was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Whittle in Edcouch.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Walher, Edinburg; Mr. and Mrs Leon Walher, Edinburg; Miss Geraldine Walher, Donald Walher, Kenneth Walher, the honoree and the hosts.

Adult Classes Set To Aid Homemakers

RIO GRANDE CITY—A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend a series of six adult classes to be conducted by Mrs. Miriam Vale, vocational homemaking instructor, under the title of "Our First Job in National Defense —Keeping Physically Fit," starting Monday, March 3 and closing Friday, March 14. Other dates for these classes, which will meet in the homemaking room at the high school from two to three o'clock, are March 5, 7, 10 and 12.

Subjects to be discussed in the two week's course are as follows: "Foods Needed Daily For a Good Diet," "Selecting Meals For a Day," "Eating For Health," "Feeding the Child," "Using Foods in Season," "Use of Surplus Commodities in Planning and Preparing Meals."

Club Entertained In Raymondville

RAYMONDVILLE — Members of the U-Delt-Em Club met with Mrs. L. V. Shaver for a pleasant afternoon of bridge on Tuesday.

Playing were Mesdames Herbert Koepke, Jack Scott, R. D. Smith, W. C. Youngblood, E. E. Baden, James Strawn.

Mrs. Smith won the high award and Mrs. Louis Stewart was a guest.

A well planned repast was set before her friends by the hostess.

Girls Named As Honorees For Dances

EDCOUCH—Mildred Smith and Dorothy Nolly were chosen representatives to the Valleyanna Dance at McAllen and the Sweetheart Dance at Edinburg at a recent class meeting.

The seniors also elected Dare Odom and Elwin Snyder for the Who's Who for outstanding high school students of Texas.

Mrs. W. K. Galbreath honored her husband with a surprise birthday party Saturday evening at their home. The evening was spent in games.

Room mothers for the sophomore class entertained the group with a party at the home of Mrs. James A. Nattinger Friday evening. Hostesses were Mrs. Nattinger and Mrs. James A. Farris.

Members of the third year home economics class entertained with a coffee Friday at the home economics cottage.

Jimmie Jarrett was host for a taco supper Friday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jarrett.

Mrs. Ward Speaker In Brownsville To Inaugurate Drive

BROWNSVILLE — Several hundred music lovers were present at the Chamber of Commerce Saturday night to hear Mrs. J. D. Ward, San Benito, fully explain workings of the Rio Grande Valley Civic Music league preparatory to the "kick off" campaign for membership opening here Monday.

Her appearance here was one of a number of appearances she is making in the interest of the music league.

She was assisted at the session by Mrs. James L. Abney, Ruth Rutledge and other civic music workers here.

Visitors Honored By Dinner Event

PHARR—Mrs. Edith Carrothers of the Shady Rest Tourist Courts entertained Tuesday evening with a dinner for winter visitors.

Music and group singing were enjoyed during the evening hours.

Enjoying the hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hembrel, Sullivan City, Ind.; Marion and Betty Cook, Lanesboro, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sheppard, Alamo, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Putnam, Pelican Rapids, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. M. Kernodle, Warsaw, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. E. Clayse, Warsaw, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Ottinger, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Dell Meredith, Warsaw, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Buck and two sons, Medford, Oregon, and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Wheeler and son, Alden, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Cross of McAllen and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kelley of Edinburg, were also guests.

Accepts Position

HARLINGEN—Miss Barbara Kimmell left the past week for San Antonio to accept a position with United Services Automobile Association at Fort Sam Houston. Miss Kimmell is a graduate of Harlingen high school and Brownsville Junior College. She has been a student of stenotypy at the Byrne System School of Business.

Hobby Group Entertained

HARLINGEN — Mrs. A. L. Hamilton entertained the Hobby Group at her home on Kansas City road with a one o'clock luncheon Wednesday. Eight members and three guests, Mrs. J. G. Cochrane, La Feria, Mrs. M. K. Taft, La Feria, and Mrs. J. Raquet, Minnesota, enjoyed the event.

The table was beautifully decorated in the different colors making it very picturesque.

A delicious angel food pie was served as dessert.

The spring season was accented in the clever bird favors.

During the afternoon the group voted to sew for Bundles for Britain at the next meeting at the home of Mrs. Nina Mohr, 301 E. Monroe. Members were Mesdames Tom Bowman, Charles Blakeney, Jack Summers, J. B. Bradford, H. M. Dunaway, J. B. Lankford, Nina Mohr, and A. L. Hamilton.

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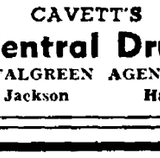

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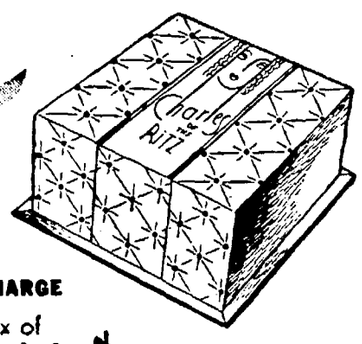

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Bride Is Honored

Mrs. Harold Pendleton of Edinburg was before her marriage recently, Miss Florence Ogden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ogden of Edinburg. Mr. and Mrs. Pendleton are making their home in the Lipscomb Apartments in Edinburg after returning from a wedding trip to Monterrey. Mrs. Pendleton was complimented recently at a large tea by Mrs. C. L. Heinemann. (Kerr Studio.)

San Juan Program Based On China

SAN JUAN — Women of the Methodist Church met Thursday at the home of Mrs. A. D. Mahaffay, with the leader, Mrs. W. G. Smith presenting the study on China, Mrs. Edwards led the devotionals.

Many interesting articles made in China were displayed. Chinese candy, cookies and hot tea were served by Mesdames C. W. Griffith, and Merle Curtis.

Meeting Is Monday

LA FERIA — The Home Demonstration Club will meet at the Legion Hall Monday with Mrs. M. J. Waldorf and Mrs. F. E. Reynolds as hostesses. A program on "Fundamentals of Home Demonstration Club Work" will be presented.

HOMEMAKERS MEET

COLLEGE STATION—(AP)—The annual convention of the Texas Home Demonstration Association will be held at Beaumont, Sept. 3, 4 and 5, Mrs. A. J. Brown of Nederland, president, said Tuesday.

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Quota Told In San Juan

SAN JUAN — Twenty-six women worked in the Red Cross sewing room Tuesday from 9:00 to 5:00. Mrs. Vernon Hill, county chairman, presented the quota for the local unit, to be completed by May 31.

The quota consists of: 15 women's wool dresses; 14 women's skirts; 15 girls' dresses; 15 girls' skirts; 6 boys' shirts; 10 boys' overalls; 7 hospital bed shirts; 6 convalescent robes; 10 mens' sweaters; 15 ladies sweaters; 35 childrens' sweaters; 5 mufflers; 31 baby jackets; 60 baby blankets; 30 baby kimonos; 60 gowns; 30 dozen diapers.

With this quota to be reached, it is urgent that every woman in the community cooperate, either by taking part in the sewing room work, or by taking garments, or knitting at home.

Spring Blossoms Make Party Setting

WESLACO—Mrs. Ordell Roberson was hostess to the members of the Dos Mesas Club Thursday at her home. Snapdragons were used for decorating.

Mrs. E. B. Ballard was winner of high score.

The hostess served salad and sweet courses at the close of games.

Book Is Reviewed At Meeting Of Club

LA FERIA — Mrs. Margaret Arnold was hostess to the Cultura Club Thursday afternoon at her home. Mrs. R. L. Clayton, president, was in charge of the business.

Mrs. C. E. Vail, program leader, gave an interesting interpretation of the book "Maria Chatdelain" by Lewis Hemon. Background of the story was laid in Canada, study topic for the year.

Mrs. J. W. Oats was welcomed as a new member.

Present were Mrs. M. L. Briggs, mother of Mrs. Arnold, a guest, and 14 members.

An attractive refreshment plate was served.

GO TO SAN ANTONIO

SAN JUAN — Mrs. G. A. Hudson left Monday for San Antonio, where she will spend some time convalescing in the homes of her daughters, Mrs. M. B. Tobin and Mrs. Warren Deaton. Mrs. Tobin has been caring for her mother here lately, and Mr. Tobin came here and accompanied Mrs. Hudson and his wife back to San Antonio.

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West Coast Designers Strive For Leadership By Flouting Convention

By AMY PORTER
AP Feature Service Writer

The future of fashion looks more exciting from Los Angeles than from New York.

Does New York split skirts to the knee, with a zipper closing as a mild concession to the conservative.

Does New York show hips widened with tunics and drapery? Los Angeles offers bigger, tunics and brighter drapery.

With Hollywood setting the pace, Los Angeles outstrips all other style centers in color, animation and flash. Designers of movie clothes are without inhibitions, don't care what clothes cost, and submit to no "editing" of the sort that New York designers under went before they were allowed to present their creations at New York's late Fashion Futures show.

All this doesn't keep New York from hammering away at its theme song, "New York is now the style capital of the world."

Figures Favor New York

Figures seem to indicate that New York is the style center. At least, it still makes about three-fourths of the country's clothes.

But New York is nervous. Its one-time monopoly in the apparel trades is a thing of the past.

New York concedes shoe leadership to St. Louis, acknowledged manufacturing center, but isn't ready to concede any other sort of garment leadership to any other city, no matter how much the chambers of commerce may shout.

St. Louis is growing in dress strength, too, reaching beyond the "house dress" trade to the "junior miss" trade. That city invited students in its Washington University Art School to become designers for girls from 13 to 22 years of age. Now 90 of the school's alumnae feed designs to an industry which has grown to a $20,000,000 volume within four years.

New York concedes that Los Angeles has a flair for sports clothes, but dislikes seeing the west coast branch out into other garment fields. The exuberant Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce reports: "Over forty states and 5,000 stores were represented at our Spring Market Week showings. Over 650 stores maintain resident buyers here, where less than 40 were so represented in 1933."

San Francisco, strong on coats, listed 1,000 buyers from western states, Alaska and Hawaii at the market week showings of 26 local manufacturers, and reported its most successful season in years.

Others In Race

Chicago, which talks almost as much about creativeness as New York, showed the work of 34 manufacturers at its spring show, while Kansas City, leader in popular priced coats, had enough manufacturing charm to persuade Sears, Roebuck and Co. to make that city its new distributing center for western customers. In 1939 Sears spent eight million dollars in Kansas City and other Missouri cities, and still more in 1940.

Meantime the style leadership fight goes on, with Westerners taking pleasure in challenging the title of the metropolis of the East.

Pharr To Compete For Prize Offered By Garden Council

PHARR—Under the direction of Mrs. R. O. Brewer, chairman of the Pharr Garden Club Bougainvillet, the city of Pharr has been entered in the Bougainvillea Trail contest, being sponsored by the Council of Garden Clubs of the Lower Rio Grande Valley. A prize of $10.00 will be awarded to the town in each group, having planted the most Bougainvilleas during the period of January 1, 1940 to May 1, 1941.

Each purple bougainvillea planted counts one point, while each plant of any other color of bougainvillea, will count one half point, according to rules announced. Reference is given to the purple bougainvillea because of its hardiness and because it was chosen for the trail through the Valley.

First Shipment Made By Harlingen Branch

HARLINGEN—First shipment of materials from the Harlingen branch of Bundles for Britain, Inc., was forwarded Saturday. A large quantity of merchandise for the war victims in England was included in the lot.

The local workroom for Bundles for Britain is open from 9 to 5 p.m. daily. Certain articles offered for sale to assist the project are displayed in a show case and a large stock of materials are available for distribution to volunteer workers.

Women willing to donate an hour or so of their time are much needed and a request is made by the president, Mrs. Robert Pollock, for workers who will assist with sewing or knitting in their homes.

El Jardin Group To Meet Thursday

BROWNSVILLE — The El Jardin home demonstration club will hold an all-day meeting on Thursday, March 6, at the home of Mrs. E. D. Cockrell. A covered dish luncheon will be served.

Group Meets Tuesday

HARLINGEN — The Women's Council of the First Christian Church will meet at 3 p.m. Tuesday at the church for the regular business meeting. Mrs. George Sanders will have charge of the devotional and Mrs. Gregory Vencill will give a lesson on "Stewardship."

Hostess To Group

COMBES—Mrs. W. T. Staton, Jr., was hostess on Thursday to the Young Matrons' Society in an all day affair. The group worked on quilts and had a covered dish luncheon at noon. Those present were Mesdames Mike Waters, William Van Dusen, H. M. Brazil, Robert Quincy Adams, Anna Frances Collingsworth, W. A. Brown, and the hostess.

Feted During Visit

HARLINGEN—Mrs. David Ormesher is visiting in San Antonio where she formerly resided. During the past week Mrs. Ormesher has been feted with a delightful series of affairs arranged by her hostess and other friends.

Meeting Is Tuesday

COMBES—The Methodist Women's Society will meet at the church next Tuesday in a business session.

Vitamins Discussed In Club's Program

MERCEDES—"Research On Vitamins" was the subject of the program given by Mrs. F. O. Scroggins when the Junior Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Pete Melton Tuesday night.

Members present included Mesdames F. R. George Kitchens, William Dudley, Smith McMorries, Robert Taylor, Joe Grimm, Herbert Goza, L. T. Hawkins, and new member, Mrs. J. H. Davis.

At the next meeting Mrs. Tony Rippert will give a talk on fine glass ware, and will exhibit some choice pieces from her stock.

Hostess At Bridge

MERCEDES—Mrs. F. O. Scroggins was hostess to the Friday Bridge Club last week. She chose double nasturitums to brighten the rooms. Mrs. L. T. Hawkins received the high score trophy.

Members enjoying the games were Mesdames Smith McMorris, Robert Taylor, John Kilman, Jr., Joe Grimm, L. T. Hawkins, and Dick Bigden.

Hosts Honored

ALAMO — Mr. and Mrs. C. Spencer of Joliet, Illinois, guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wigton entertained their hosts and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin with a dinner party at the Alamo Hotel on Sunday. The occasion was in honor of Mrs. Wigton's and Mr. Martin's birthdays.

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Wedding Is In Spring

Miss Kathryn Richards left at the week-end for her home at Robstown where her marriage to Ernest Botard will take place in the early spring. Miss Richards, daughter of Mrs. D. P. Richards of Robstown, has just resigned her post as assistant home demonstration agent. Mr. Botard, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Botard of Alice, is county agent in McMullen county and formerly was assistant farm agent for Cameron county. (Holbrook Studio.)

Federation Names New Corps Officers

HARLINGEN — World Day of Prayer for peace was observed and new officers were elected at the meeting of the Federation of Missionary Societies held Friday afternoon at the First Baptist Church.

New officers are Mrs. Helen Smith, president; Mrs. E. A. Shelton, first vice president; Mrs. Henry Carlisle, second vice president; Mrs. May Foster, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. C. W. Clift is the retiring president.

Mrs. Porter Caraway led the program. Topics were discussed as follows: Mrs. E. C. Bennet, "The Union Christian Colleges;" Mrs. Van Snell, "Migrants;" Mrs. C. W. Ferguson, "Indian Students in U. S. Government Schools." Other members assisted with brief paragraphs.

Mrs. Russell Perry was at the piano for group singing led by Mrs. S. G. Stringer.

New officers will be installed at the next meeting to be held the fifth Tuesday in April.

Mercedes Circles Have Social Meeting

MERCEDES—The monthly social of Circles One and Two of the Methodist Church was observed Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Lee Kidder. Co-hostesses were Mesdames Fred Bernard, Paul Shotwell, Harold Roland, and William Dudley. Mrs. Woodie Tullis presided at the meeting.

The program was lead by Mrs. Clyde Roe. Assisting with talks were Mrs. H. A. Hanshaw, Mrs. J. C. Deyo, Mrs. E. H. Poteet, Mrs. Oscar Roman, and Mrs. E. C. Cantrell.

Music was provided by Mrs. J. G. Borman who played a piano solo, "Polish March" by Schubert; Mrs. W. R. Hoover, who sang "Consider The Lily," Scott, accompanied by Mrs. A. E. Branch, and Mrs. Paul Shotwell who played a piano solo, "Arr De Balet," Chammad.

Open House On Monday

WESLACO — Mrs. C. L. Burton was hostess Tuesday night when members of the Womans Christian Temperance Union entertained with an open house honoring Mrs. Claude de Van Watts of Austin, the state president. Mrs. Burton was assisted by Mrs. J. E. Montgomery.

Pretty arrangements of gladioli decorated the living room and the dining room was pretty with elaborate arrangements of sweetpeas on the buffet was a low arrangement of nasturtiums and calamondins.

The dining table was lace laid and centered by sweetpeas on a reflector with four white tapers in crystal holders. Mary Ann Burton presided at the punch bowl at one table end and a large crystal plaque held the assortment of small cookies at the opposite table end.

Musical selections were given during the evening by a trio composed of Miss Versa Reed, Miss Maurine Block, and Miss Hilda Fern Ramley.

Miss Irene Yoder played piano selections and accompanied Frank Yoder who entertained with selections on the saw. Miss Mary Ann Burton gave a delightful reading.

During the Institute held at the Methodist church beginning at eleven o'clock Mrs. J. W. Fincker and Mrs. W. J. Back gave inspiring devotionals, the luncheon hour Mrs. R. E. Erwin gave readings.

Mrs. Watts gave her main talk at three o'clock stressing "Legislation and Membership."

Child Welfare was in charge of Mrs. Frank Yoder, Legislation by Miss Ethel Van Vliet and Scientific Temperance Education by Mrs. J. O. Jorgensen.

Mrs. W. W. Ludwig presided and Rev. Fred Bishop gave the prayer and welcome as pastor of the church.

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Mrs. J. V. Carpenter Is Luncheon Hostess For Valley Visitors

McALLEN—Three prominent Upper Valley visitors were honored Friday when Mrs. J. V. Carpenter was hostess for an unusually delightful luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

Honored guests were Mrs. Ed Byers of Chicago, house guest of the Percy Hermans, Mrs. Allan Shivers, Sr., and Mrs. Allan Shivers, both of Port Arthur. The latter is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shary of Sharyland, whom they are visiting.

Springtime's colors were used with muted effect for decorative effects. The serving table was centered with simple but effective arrangement of pussywillows, iris and pink carnations footed with yellow acacia blossoms in a rectangular cream vase. Highly colored was the china pheasant, nesting in the sprays of fern surrounding the center arrangement.

Quartet tables, laid with green organdy matching the serving table, held dainty arrangements of all-toned sweetpeas and miniature dancing figurines.

Cocktails were served before the luncheon.

Besides the honored guests those present were Mrs. Charles Holland, Mrs. Smith Jones, Mrs. Percy Herman, Mrs. Lee Rowe, Mrs. Si Casady, Mrs. Charles Herndon, Mrs. John T. Lomax, Mrs. Edward Oppenheimer, Mrs. J. K. Boettger, Mrs. Joe LeBow, Mrs. Everett Moore, Mrs. Duke Larson, Mrs. Scott Ford and Mrs. T. E. Vessels.

All Day Session Marks Visit Of W.C.T.U. Head

McALLEN—Mrs. W. C. Watts, state president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, held an all-day meeting of the local organization Wednesday at the First Methodist Church.

The morning session, at which the state leader was the principal speaker, closed at noon with a covered dish luncheon. Rev. F. H. Hamner, pastor of the church, gave the scripture reading and prayer and Mrs. Bertha Beatle of Edinburg, the flag salute.

Dr. W. E. Whigham was the principal speaker at the afternoon session with his explanatory talk "The Failure of Repeal." Mrs. Bertha Charlson of Duluth, Minn., national W.C.T.U. committeewoman, described some of the literature the organization uses in its campaign against alcohol. Mrs. Rosall Levin of Chicago, Ill., spoke on "Loyal Temperance Legion."

Women members of the church served luncheon from tables laid with white and gold, the colors of the W.C.T.U.

Out-of-city guests included Mrs. J. O. Jorgenson and Mrs. W. W. Ludwig, Weslaco; Mrs. E. L. Ralston, Edinburg; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Irwin, traveling singing evangelists, with Rev. and Mrs. Hamner.

Bar Auxiliary Has Silver Tea Date

McALLEN — Interesting among social events planned for the future in McAllen is the silver tea members of the McAllen women's auxiliary of the Hidalgo County Bar Association will give March 10.

Mrs. R. D. Cox Jr's., home will be the scene of the event. Proceeds will go to the proposed women's building in McAllen.

The bar auxiliary was formed several weeks ago with Mrs. W. B. Spell president. They plan monthly luncheon meetings.

Dinner Guests

ALAMO — Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Boehme had as dinner guests on Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Les. O. Niel and daughter of McAllen, in honor of Mr. Boehme's eighty-third birthday.

VISIT IN EDNA

MISSION—Mrs. C. C. Phillips and two children are in Edna this week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gray. Dr. Phillips will join them there this week-end and the family will return Sunday.

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Babson Boosts Old Stable Values

By ROGER W. BABSON

BABSON PARK, Florida—It is true that tremendous changes have taken place during the past dozen years. City real estate can today be bought for 20 per cent of what it sold for a dozen years ago. Fifty leading stocks, which sold at $285 in 1929, can now be bought for $75. New York Stock Exchange seats, for which bankers were then scrambling to pay $600,000, can now be bought for around $25,000. Yet, those economists who then forecasted such terrific declines were hooted as old pessimists and undesirable citizens. Strange to say, we are being laughed at today for suggesting that a come-back is just as possible!

On the other side of the picture you will find that high-grade bonds and commodities are selling higher than they did a dozen years ago. In fact, a Massachusetts city recently sold $200,000 notes of five-month maturity at 0.03 per cent. This is at the rate of 12½ cents—or the cost of a package of cigarettes—for the use of $1,000 for 5 months. A dozen years ago this would have cost around twenty dollars instead of 12 1-2 cents.

You Pay One-Third Of Your Salary In Taxes

But you say these changes affect only well-to-do people. All right, what about taxes? The two hundred largest corporations in this country paid last year considerably over $2,000,000,000 in taxes. These companies had about 3,500,000 employes. This means a $600 tax for each man and woman employed. Income taxes have not only doubled, but the number of people required to pay them have greatly increased. All this is in addition to big increases in real estate taxes and taxes upon everything we buy. Nearly all the readers of this column are today paying out in taxes, directly and indirectly, three dollars out of every ten dollars they earn.

Those who forecasted these great tax increases were howled down a dozen years ago. Yet, is it any more unreasonable to believe that taxes will be much less a dozen years hence? So long as the world continues to revolve around the sun, and so long as pendulums continue to swing, then prices, interest rates, real estate values, and taxes will continue to go up, and then down! It is as foolish today to think that things are going to continue to grow worse as it was in 1928 to think that conditions would continue to grow better.

Don't Be Hooked By Crazies

We hear a lot today about the possibilities of synthetics—this means the manufacture of everything artificially, from children to coffins. College professors tell us that our potatoes will be grown by electricity, that cotton will be pulled out of the air, and, instead of bothering to cook food, we will swallow a pill three times a day with a glass of water. Perhaps we will!

Statistics show that with all the college professors, medical experts, and dieticians, we are lucky today if we live to the "three score years and ten" which we read about in the Scriptures of three thousand years ago. My guess is that the next trend will be toward old-fashioned corn bread and molasses, and that we will hear less about vitamins A, B, C, D, E, F, G, and so on ad infinitum. We think candles and kerosene have "gone," but the statistics show that more of both of these are being sold today than ever before.

Educational Changes Are Ahead

Let's look at the educational record: When I was a boy in Gloucester, I attended a two-room school house with a stove at one end and an outhouse in the back yard. But we did learn how to spell, to add, and to work. Moreover, in those days our parents were more interested to have us get training than diplomas. In fact, I did not even get a diploma when finishing my course in high school. Today, our children get their so-called education in palaces with the latest heating, ventilation, and lighting equipment, to say nothing of the extravagant toilet facilities.

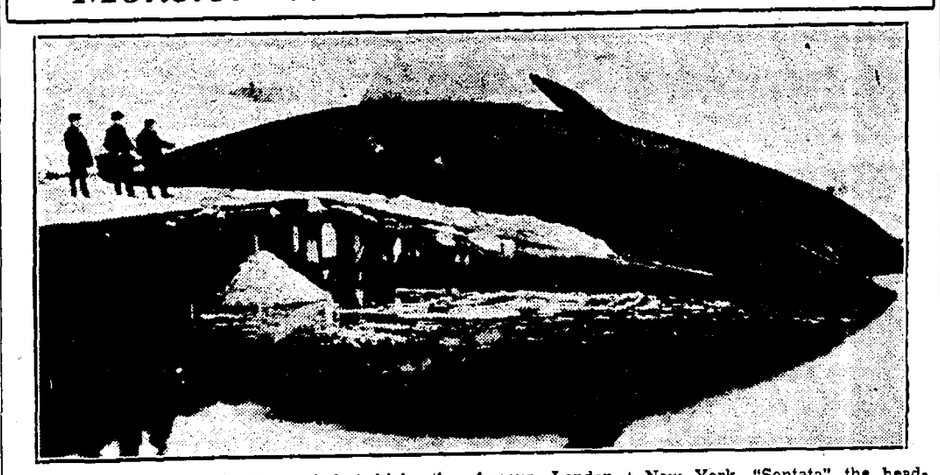
Mr. W. J. Cameron, of the Ford Motor Company, told me the other day that the number of students preparing to be mechanics is only about one-seventh the number now employed as mechanics; while the number now studying for the professions is about thirteen times those engaged in the professions! If young men would study these figures more and two-legged figures less, they would learn to be good mechanics, builders, and plumbers. The days when white-collar jobs offered the best opportunities have gone.

It has been said that the only thing which is permanent is change. This means that nothing will remain as it now exists—some things are getting better, while others are getting worse. There will always be changes. If you are blue over the war, read Green's History of England or the history of any country—including the U. S. War has been a normal condition. There is nothing to worry about today if we will have the guts of our ancestors. We needed Hitler to wake us up. Surely England did.

Invest In Homes, Kids, And Religion

It is fair to say that there are certain things which have always been of value, and always will be. Let me mention a few: (1) Good health is of great worth. Time and money invested in keeping ourselves well is a primary investment. (2) The ability to take care of one's self, whether by the raising of food or by the building of houses, is of real importance. A dollar may be worth 100c or 10c, but the quart of milk from your own cow which your family drinks always has the same value. (3) A good sensible wife or husband and a family of properly-trained kids cannot be beat as a sound investment. Too many parents depend upon safe deposit boxes rather than upon children. I am still betting on the old-fashioned investment in a good family and a home with a kitchen garden. (4) Let us not forget the Church. It has come through the ages as a great pillar of strength. Better invest a little more money in your Church and other good works. (5) It is well to buy U. S. Baby Bonds, a few well-diversified, conservative stocks, and some life insurance; but remember these are only investments of the past century while the other things have always been valuable and always will be.

Monster Whale Shown In Valley



Above is shown the big 68-ton, 55-foot whale now on display in Brownsville at the M. P. Depot with the Great London Trainway Exhibition. Features of the show include the largest hog alive, "Jolly Jumbo," a hog that weighs 1,460 pounds and stands over four feet high; the famous London Flea Circus with the smallest performers alive; a giant Octopus or devil fish; the funny birds that come from the Antarctic, the penguin family that was brought to America by Admiral Byrd; an attraction of the World's Fair in New York, "Sontata" the headless woman. This exhibition will be in Brownsville Sunday only at the M. P. Depot. Tomorrow, Monday, March 3, in San Benito at the M. P. Depot; Tuesday, March 4, in Mercedes; Wednesday and Thursday, March 5 and 6, in McAllen.

Tests For Production In Several Deep Valley Wildcats Highlight Oil News For Week; Kelsey Field Extended

Two Willacy Wells Showing Possible Deeper Sand

McALLEN — Several important deep wildcats in the Lower Rio Grande Valley oil area were making production tests Saturday, some with promising shows.

In eastern Willacy county, two tests of Pan-American Production Company continued to show for production, one about 1,000 feet south of the discovery well and the other one and a half miles to the northwest. While none of the available information could be confirmed from company sources, it was understood that Pan-American's No. 1-B Willamar Community, 1,000 feet south of discovery in Share 13, San Juan de Carricitos Grant, flowed oil in six minutes on drill stem test of sand around 8,100 feet, indicating possibly a new and deeper sand. A considerable broken sand section was reported to have been found in the well between 8,100 and 8,500 feet before the hole was bottomed at about 8,900 feet and 7-inch o.d. casing was cemented at 8,722 feet.

Operators later were reported to be running production test on sand at 7,855-80 feet, a portion of the huge sand section cored in the discovery well and which yielded some oil on drill stem test while the well was drilling. The entire section was reported to have been logged as oil and gas sand with streaks of sand and shale and broken sandy shale at 7,455-7,900 feet.

In the Pan-American No. 1 G. C. Kent, northwest of discovery and and also in Share 13, operators were reported to have bottomed the hole around 8,800 feet and were setting 7-inch o.d. oil string around 8,600 feet.

In southeastern Cameron county, the Valley's deepest drilling wildcat, Pure Oil Company No. 4 Gatewood Newberry, Share 3, Shelton Award Survey, was reported making hole in hard shale past 9,180 feet. Contract depth is 10,000 feet.

In eastern Starr county about three miles north of production in the Rincon field, Arkansas Fuel Oil Company No. 1 F. F. Martinez, Survey 217, was preparing to gun-perforate for another production test, this time in sand around 4,300 feet. Three tests in deeper sands have shown salt water.

About two miles north of main Rincon production, Trans-western Oil Company No. 2 W. I. Cameron, Survey 137, was abandoned at total depth of 5,525 feet after casing had been cemented at 4,850 feet for tests at 4,770-96 feet, at 4,548-51 feet and 4,150-53 feet.

In northwestern Starr, T. B. Hoffer's No. 1 R. J. Hamilton, Survey 306, was making hole around 3,350 feet on a 3,500-foot contract, while Hoffer's No. 1 D. Guerra, Portion 107, about six miles south of the Sun's big Guerra field, was making hole past 2,840 feet. A. J. Brinkoeter, McAllen independent operator and drilling contractor, is drilling both wells.

About a mile northwest of production in the Boyle field in southern Starr, a highly important semi-wildcat, W. W. Zimmerman et al's No. 1 M. M. Garcia, Share 215, Portion 90, Camargo Jurisdiction, was abandoned at total depth of 2,879 feet. Sand at 2,792-2,812 feet yielded oil and salt water, about 260 feet of fluid, without pressure on 17-minute drill stem test. This was the third attempt to tap production in the Boyle area's elusive 2,800-foot sand.

About 3,000 feet north of the Zimmerman test, Dean and Hendrickson's No. 1 Garcia, Share 215, Portion 90, Camargo Jurisdiction, was still spraying amber-colored distillate and considerable gas on quarter-inch tubing choke through casing perforations at 2,850-55 feet with 800 pounds tubing working pressure and 1,050 pounds closed-in casing pressure.

In southern Jim Hogg county, Sun Oil Company No. 1 Mrs. Ella McCampbell, Las Viboritas Grant, was reported drilling around 4,500 feet with no shows reported thus far.

Another new southern Starr county wildcat, Chrest Thompson et al's No. 1 Mrs. A. M. Kelsey-Bass, Lot 8, Block 1, B. and B. Oil Company Subdivision, Portions 86-87, Camargo Jurisdiction, ccemented surface casing at 200 feet and was ready to start for contract depth of 3,500 feet.

At the northeast corner of the Sun field in northeastern Starr, Sun Oil Company No. 1 Nicefiro Pena, Survey 241, was drilled to 5,215 feet and abandoned after making no showing. None of the several Sun field sands indicated production.

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MISSION — While several new producers were completed in South Texas proven fields Saturday, Sun Oil Company gave production in the big Kelsey field a mile-long push to the southwest and that much deeper into Starr county.

Sun's No. B-1 Emilio Trevino, about 8,500 feet southwest of present production at Kelsey and in Block 2, Shares B and C, McBride Subdivision, Santa Teresa Grant, cored the field sand at 4,745-62 feet, bottomed the hole at 4,763 feet and cemented 5 1-2-inch o.d. casing at 4,746 feet. Plugs were being drilled Saturday for production test. Operators recovered 450 feet of oil and 100 feet of oil-cut mud with 94 pounds pressure in 15-minute drill stem test. The location is about 1,000 feet west of the Sun No. 1 Trevino, abandoned as a dry hole only a short time ago.

In the Kelsey field proper, Humble Oil & Refining Co. added another pair of producers and had another new well drilling.

At the southwest edge of production in Brooks County, Humble's No. 79 J. C. McGill, La Blanca Grant, gauged 117 barrels daily on 7-64-inch tubing choke with 750 pounds tubing working pressure and 650 pounds closed-in casing pressure from sand at 4,735-43 feet after casing had been cemented at 4,736 feet.

In the southwest part of the field, Humble's No. 1 Marcos Juarez, Block 6, Shares B & C, McBride Subd., Santa Teresa Grant, Starr County, made 69 barrels daily on open tubing from sand at 4,736-48 feet after installation of flow-valves.

One location southwest of the No. 1 Juarez, Humble's No. 2 Marcos Juarez was drilling below 3,500 feet.

On the north edge of the Kelsey field in Brooks County, Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 3 C. C. Marshall et al, Survey 722, was drilling past 4,600 feet.

Continental Oil Co. added another new producer in the big Rincon field and was busy on two other wells.

Continental's No. B-42 Slick Estate, Survey 486, made 175 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke through casing perforations (60 shots) at 3,744-56 feet. The hole was bottomed at 4,500 feet, where 7-inch o.d. oil string was cemented.

Continental was testing the No. D-1 F. Davenport, Survey 530, which was bottomed at 4,689 feet and which cemented 7-inch o.d. oil string at 4,663 feet. The well was being tested through casing perforations at 4,000-20 feet.

Continental was rigging up to spud the No. B-30 Slick Estate, Survey 266, in the north part of the field.

In the North Rincon field, Sun Oil Co. No. 3 Geo. H. Coates, Survey 515, was coring at 3,624 feet. It had logged a salt water sand at 3,370-80 feet.

Two new wells were added in the Colorado field in southwestern Jim Hogg County and another was being tested.

V. F. Neuhaus' No. C-6 F. G. Trevino, Survey 38, in the central part of the field, made 112 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 60 pounds tubing working pressure and 480 pounds closed-in casing pressure from sand at 2,996-3,008 feet.

In the northeast portion of the field, Humble Oil & Refining No. B-15 King Ranch-Colorado, Las Moritas Grant, made 198 barrels daily on 3-16-inch tubing choke with 310 pounds tubing working pressure and 700 pounds closed-in pressure from sand at 3,030-45 feet.

VIENNA PACT US WARNING?

Gayda Sees Help For Axis In Spring

ROME—(AP)—Virginio Gayda declared Saturday that Bulgaria's adherence to the three-power alliance —"a further step toward driving British influence completely out of Europe—should be a warning to the United States government.

Writing in Il Giornale D'Italia, the editor, who frequently speaks for the Fascist regime, indicated that the Vienna signing would be a forerunner to Bulgarian help, passive or otherwise, in a spring offensive to defeat Greece.

"It confirms the isolation of Greece in the Balkans," Gayda asserted.

He said that the signatures in Vienna Saturday "should, above all, warn the more responsible men of Washington who would like to assume the attitude of arbitors of European destiny . . ."

BACK FROM LAREDO

PHARR—Mrs. A. A. Kelley and son, Ervin, have returned home from a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seitz and family in Laredo. Mrs. Seitz is Mrs. Kelley's niece.

Boys From The Farm Migrating To Cities Again For Defense Employ; May Become 'Flood,' Expert Says

CHICAGO—(AP)—City jobs are starting to beckon again to the boys on the farms.

Dr. Samuel A. Stouffer, census analyst, said Saturday that defense industries already were beginning to draw on the rural population and that the farm to city movement "may become a flood in a year or two."

A slow but steady farm to city drift for many years had been the natural result of the higher rural birth rate. When city jobs declined during the depression, however, the trend was retarded and even reversed, temporarily.

Dr. Stouffer now expects the normal movement to be greatly accelerated because of what he says is a strong demand in industry for "boys who know how to use a monkey wrench—boys from the farms and small towns."

Dr. Stouffer, consultant to the census bureau and professor of statistics at the University of Chicago, foresees two other possible sociological changes as a result of the defense program:

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The long term effect of the farm to city shift will be a slowing down of the total population growth.

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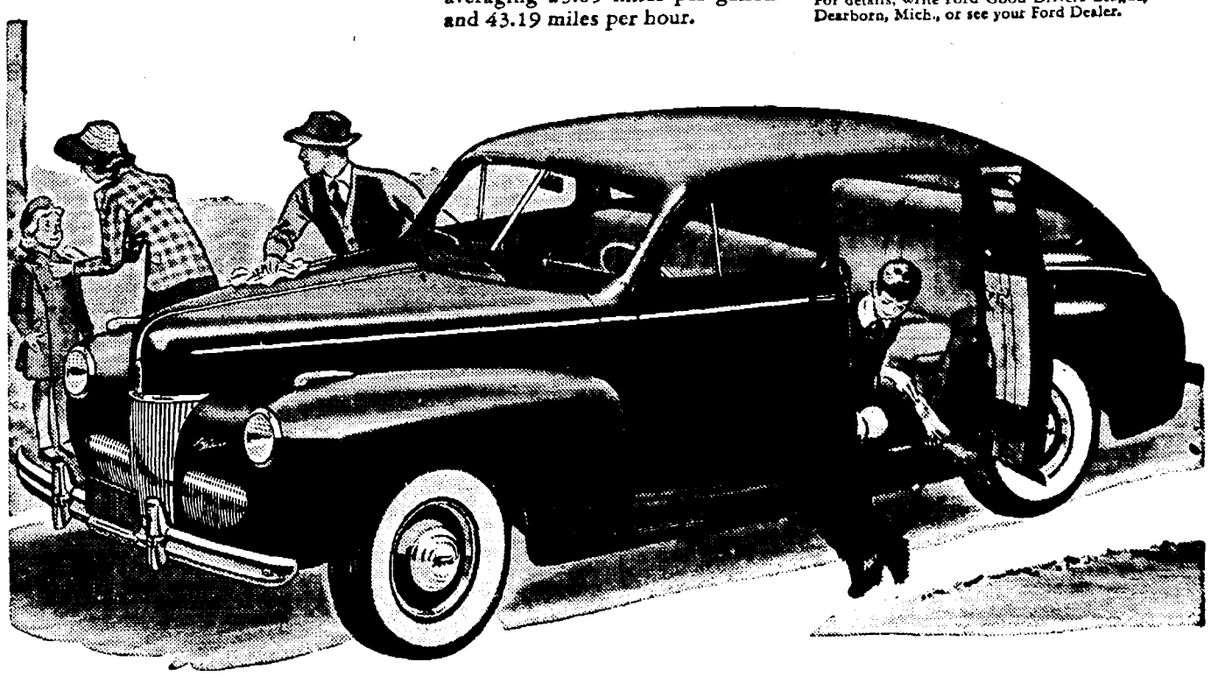

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GIRL attending beauty college wants work in exchange for room and board. Call Maxine Kirkland, 9534, Harlingen.

WANTED: Practical nursing by middle aged lady. References furnished. Mrs. J. S. Toland, Rt. 2, San Benito.

2g. Instructions

Your Opportunity

Now to learn Beauty Culture

If you are really seeking success, are over 16 years of age, and can read and write English, start Now; Tuition only $2.00 a week.

Holtry's College Of Beauty Culture
302 E. Harrison Harlingen

3. BUSINESS CHANCES

OPERATOR wanted for service station in good location, Harlingen. Applicant must be able to give good references, be able to deliver the goods. Experience necessary. See J. B. Hicks, phone 178, Harlingen.

SMALL CAFE with equipment for sale. Located in main part of thriving Valley city. Box 583, La Feria.

ONE of best paying tourist courts in McAllen. Owner wishes to retire. Van Ramshorst, next to bank, McAllen.

SERVICE station on main highway in McAllen, doing a real business. Van Ramshorst, next to bank, McAllen.

BUSINESS opportunity: Man, draft-exempt, own operate local cash business. Up to $25 weekly. $200 cash required. Write, giving address, to Box 17, c-o Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

FOR LEASE: Fully equipped, new, modern, super service station. Small investment necessary. Write Box 14, c-o Herald, Brownsville.

BEAUTY shop for sale; modern, low rent, good business. Leaving town. Lily's Beauty Shop, 808 Washington Street, Brownsville.

Complete Grocery and Market Equipment, New Stock

Would like to contact party with at least $500 and interested in the purchase of a nice, clean going grocery store and meat market. Located in a new building. On paved road. Write

OWNER, Box 24,
c-o Brownsville Herald,
Brownsville

5. MDSE. FOR SALE

5a. Household Goods

LEAVING Valley, must sell quickly electric roaster, bed, springs, radio, shaver, spinet piano, only slightly used. Would consider fruit. 509 E. Taylor, Apartment 2, telephone 459-W, Harlingen.

USED
Washing Machine, Norge, full size, A-1 condition, a bargain at $35.00. Only $5.00 PER MONTH
Tom Stevenson
430 Eleventh St. Phone 222
BROWNSVILLE

5a. Household Goods

SEVEN-FOOT Norge refrigerator, 9x12 wool rug. Both in first class condition. Will take typewriter as part payment. Box 457 or phone 101, La Feria.

FOR SALE: 6-foot Frigidaire, electric range, Westinghouse mangle, Maytag washer, $50 each. Owner leaving city. Call 461, Harlingen.

5e. Miscellaneous

STORE FIXTURES of Gwen's Shop, Harlingen, including electric cash register. Inquire Hertz Style Shop.

FOR SALE: Alfalfa hay. B. H. Dunlap, La Feria.

FOR SALE: Baled cane hay. See L. R. Wasson, Oscar Williams Road, San Benito, phone 6009-F-2.

NEW Mallernee streamline water ram now only $19.00. 1 1-2" inlet, 3-4" outlet. See at Bush Supply Co., Harlingen. Spencer Sauer Lumber Co., Rio Hondo.

WANTED: Someone to take up payments on Stover water softener, fourteen payments made. Like new. Box 304, San Perlita, Texas.

THREE good used clarinets. Fine for beginners, $21.50 each. Young's Music Store, McAllen.

STAMPED patterns for fluffy-tuft, pom-pon and hooked rugs. Also supplies. Mrs. Davidson's Shop, 1316 Beaumont, McAllen.

GYPSUM for sale. See J. T. Hempel, phone 6001-F-22, 2 miles N. Ware Road, McAllen.

6. MDSE. WANTED

6a. Wanted to Buy

WANTED: Four or five rooms of good furniture. Cash. Call 765, Harlingen.

WANTED TO BUY: Anyone having new or used addressograph frames for sale. Call or write Tripak Machinery Corp. Harlingen.

CASH: Rags, rubber, metal, batteries, burlap sacks. Texas Waste Material Company, 14th-Resaca, phone 791, Brownsville.

6b. Wanted to Trade

TRADE: One 1938 Plymouth Sedan in A-1 condition for equity in city property. Call 202 W. Jackson street, Harlingen.

7. REAL ESTATE

7a. Rooms for Rent

BEDROOM, close in. Front entrance, private bath, garage. Telephone 1108, Harlingen.

$3.00 PER WEEK
OPEN
GUEST LAUNDRY FREE
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13th & Levee Phone 481
Brownsville

7b. Rentals

FOR RENT: 4-room southeast apartment. Horn Apartments, phone 449. Harlingen.

FURNISHED garage apartment, modern conveniences. 1022 E. Harrison. Call Mrs. Koniakowsky, 234 or 242-J, Harlingen.

RENT: One six-room house, modern at $17.50 per month. 313 South Olive. Call at 202 W. Jackson, Harlingen.

FOR RENT: 4-room furnished apartment, refrigeration, garage. Reasonable. Apply 321 North 8th street, Harlingen.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, bath and garage, $15.00 per month. 406 S. Olive, Harlingen.

NICE 6-room unfurnished house, near high and central ward schools, 2-car garage. Mrs. Ethel Parker, phone 1128, Harlingen.

FOR RENTAL PROPERTY see Mrs. Ethel Parker, 109 W. Van Buren, phone 1128, Harlingen.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED apartments, houses. Desirable bedrooms. Listings appreciated. Mrs. J. L. Swann, phone 1169-W Harlingen.

FOR RENT: Nice, clean 5-room brick veneer house, venetian blinds, lovely yard. Permanent party preferred. 1010 E. Madison, phone 142 or 289-W, Harlingen.

FOR RENT: Newly furnished 3-room apartment. See Mrs. Belden, 418 E. Harrison, phone 454, Harlingen.

NICELY furnished 3-room modern apartment. Private front and back entrance. Garage, phone 704-J, Harlingen.

FURNISHED apartment, close in, well furnished, innerspring mattress. 109 North 10th. Steward, phone 1505-W, Harlingen.

FIVE-ROOM unfurnished house 1021 E. Monroe, reasonable rent. Permanents. Phone 432. Call at 1010 E. Jackson, Harlingen.

MODERN five-room unfurnished house. Screened porch. 1235 Northwest St. Charles, Brownsville.

NEWLY decorated unfurnished apartment, close in, ready for occupancy March 1st. Rankin Realty Co., Mission.

BEAUTIFUL 5-room home, close-in, $37.50 per month. See Rankin Realty Co., Mission.

NEW BUILDING, 25x50. Built for drive inn cafe. Extra good location. On main Valley highway. Write Box C-195, Monitor, McAllen.

TWO 6-room unfurnished houses in A-1 condition. N. Main, and one in Milmor Addition. Close to schools. Phone 477, W. H. Moon and Co., McAllen.

7. REAL ESTATE

7f. Houses for Sale

These Will Interest You

HOUSE FOR SALE, TO BE MOVED OFF LOT.

MODERN 6-ROOM HOUSE, corner location. Paved front and side. To be sold far below value for cash. Can be refinanced for almost enough to purchase.

BRICK HOME in very good location. A good buy.

FIVE-ROOM HOME, close in at $2250 on terms.

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FIVE-ROOM MODERN HOME, close in (Jackson St.) $2000.00. $300.00 will handle.
SIX-ROOM, TWO-STORY HOME, with 8 acres land, Combes highway. $3000.00. Terms.
FIVE-ROOM MODERN BRICK HOME, West Buchanan, $3250.00. Some cash and terms.
SIX-ROOM MODERN HOME, four blocks postoffice, $2500.00. Part cash and terms.
40 ACRES, GOOD FIVE-ROOM HOME, one mile city limits Harlingen, $75.00 per acre. Terms.
20 ACRES, GOOD FOUR-ROOM HOME (pavement), three miles city limits, $2000.00. Terms.
FIVE ACRES 12-YEAR-OLD GROVE with modern, 5-room house (pavement), near Combes, $5000.00. Third cash, balance terms. (See this place tomorrow, worth $7500.00.)
CORNER LOT, ON PAVEMENT, six blocks postoffice, $350.00.
FOR RENT: Modern two- and five-room homes, other buildings, pavement, Stewart Place. Give one year lease, $25.00 per month.

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7b. Rentals

NEW modern home on South Jackson Road. See Schwingel and Swope. Rooms 207-09, 6 1-2 S. Main, McAllen.

UNFURNISHED house, 821 West St. Francis St., $30 month. Inquire next door or phone 846, Brownsville.

SIX-ROOM house on paved street. All conveniences, $25 per month. Available March 1. Phone 99, Brownsville.

UNFURNISHED modern house, two bedrooms. Located at 815 West 19th Street. Phone 1238, or apply 1621 Lakeside, Brownsville.

EIGHT-ROOM, partly furnished house, double garage, 241 Washington. Apply 615 Third St., Brownsville.

LARGE furnished, four-bedroom home, with three baths, double garage. Also large, furnished, four-bedroom home with one bath and single garage. S. C. Graham and Co., telephone 179, Brownsville.

THREE-ROOM downstairs apartment, new Electrolux. Telephone 1404 after 4 p.m., or inquire at 1550 West St. Charles, Brownsville.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment. Garage. Close in. Reasonable. 442 Southeast Levee, telephone 578, Brownsville.

UNIQUE furnished three-room apartment, suitable for couple. Utilities paid. Adults only. Phone 1615-J, Brownsville.

7c. Wanted to Rent

WANTED: Small apartment, bedroom, kitchen and bath; furnished. Soldier with two children. To be available by March 10. Write Box 20, c-o Herald, Brownsville.

7f. Houses for Sale

FIVE-ROOM stucco home, close-in, furniture included. Cheap for quick cash sale. Write Monitor, Box C-193, McAllen.

NORTHERN loan company will accept as little as $50.00 down to reliable buyers, on modern homes they have left in Brownsville, Edinburg, Weslaco and McAllen. Van Ramshorst, next to bank, McAllen.

FOR SALE OR TRADE
All for sale—on easy terms, or will trade for bearing orchards:
5-room frame, 413 North 11th, $1800.
6-room frame, 1305 Maple, $2500.
New 5-room brick, completely furnished, 619 South 10th.
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HOME CLOSE IN, needs some repairs. Lot alone is worth price asked.

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118 So. 1st Harlingen

7f. Houses for Sale

FOR SALE: New colonial two-story home in Los Ebanos. Telephone Mrs. Oshman, 1337, Brownsville, for appointment.

SIX-ROOM brick veneer home. Appraised value $6,250. If $4,250 isn't a good price, what do you want? Lee D. Rowe, 120 N. 12th, McAllen.

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$2850.00 buys nice newly decorated 5-room house with front and back porches and a garage, well located in Los Ebanos. $850 cash, balance $26.75 per month including principal, interest and taxes.

$5,500.00 buys beautiful six-room brick veneer home in Los Ebanos with screened-in back and front porches, double garage, and storage room. $500.00 cash, balance monthly installments at five per cent interest.

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7h. Farms, Ranches for Sale

FOR SALE: Non-resident owner now in Brownsville wishes to dispose of beautiful homesite. Resaca frontage. Just over city line. Airport highway. 15 acres, or any part of same. Less than one-half original price. Write Box 8, c-o Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

21-ACRE grove on highway between McAllen and Mission. Good location for tourist court or drive inn. A real bargain for quick sale. Van Ramshorst, next to bank, McAllen.

17 ACRES South I Road. Electricity and phone line. Paved road. 12-year-old trees, especially fine. $250 per acre. Schwingel and Swope, Rooms 207-09, 6 1-2 S. Main, McAllen.

7h. Farms, Ranches for Sale

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FOR SALE
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$2200 buys a small new brick house and 5 acres. Good location, gas, water and electricity.

$290 buys a water front building site on Lake Olmito.

$25 per acre is the price on an 800-acre tract of undeveloped land in the Northeastern part of Cameron County. Stop and investigate.

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A HOT SHOT!
40 acres vegetable land with livable house on North McColl Road. Truly fine vegetable land—and the price of $60 per acre is for one week only. Just cannot be matched. On paved road. Cheap water. Must be cash.

One more HOT SHOT
14 1-2 acre orchard all Marsh Whites and oranges. The price less than $199. Three quarter miles off highway up Mission Road. This orchard is a honey, well kept and a top buy.

Sold two of these "good buys" this week. These two will not last long. We think we always have one, two or three of these money making buys listed but they surely go quick for the man with the money can see at once that he is getting more than his money's worth.
ABBOTT REALTY COMPANY
No. 14 So. 15th St., McAllen

7i. Trade Real Estate

WILL exchange producing grove in Bayview for small tract on highway near Harlingen. Write Box 23, c-o Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

ATTRACTIVE six-room modern home. Large yard, beautiful shrubbery. Easy terms. 1110 E. Madison, phone 1121 or 1097-W, Harlingen.

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Mercedes Hotel
Mercedes, Texas, offers:
Want 10-acre orchard with at least half oranges. Improvements not material. Will pay cash. Describe fully what you have.
Good frame, 22-room hotel. Ordman, Colorado, 50 miles east of Pueblo on U. S. highway. Completely furnished and will average about $150.00 net monthly, says owner. Want tourist camp or hotel in the Valley and might consider good orchard. This is ideal if you want higher altitude.
Remember tourists, I have bargain in tourist camp, also fine grocery and meat market on which will accept some clear trade. Also wholesale and retail oil and gas station, and one of the best super stations in the Valley, and many, many other bargains.

7j. Business Property

FOR RENT: Vegetable packing shed, 40x110 on Mopac right of way-La Feria. Emil Eggum, one mile East Hiway, San Juan.

BRICK income properties on main street, all rented, permanent tenants, in good repair—by owner. Box A-141, Star, Harlingen.

8. FARM NEEDS

8c. Poultry, Supplies

BABY CHICKS. White Leghorns, White Rocks, New Hampshire Reds and Rhode Island Reds. These chicks are from high quality blood-tested flocks. Hatches off Tuesdays. Bring custom hatchings Thursdays. Tabers Hatchery, Harlingen, San Benito Highway.

8d. Feeds, Seeds, Plants

FOR SALE: Two to three million large Rutger tomato plants for sale immediately. Five miles south of Mercedes, intersection of the Rio Rico and Military highway. Frank S. Otsuki, Route 2, Box 26, Mercedes, Texas.

FOR SALE: Alfalfa hay. B. H. Dunlap, La Feria, Texas.

FOR SALE: Large Rutgers tomato plants, $1.50 per thousand. Any amount. Phone order to Cawley Paxton, Brownsville.

PLANT our early bearing bred-up pecan and fruit trees now. Catalog free. Bass Pecan Company, Lumberton, Miss.

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9b. Cattle, Horses, Mules

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9c. Poultry, Supplies

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11b. Automobile Loans

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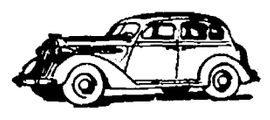

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12. AUTOMOBILE
12d. Used Cars

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11b. Automobile Loans

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12. AUTOMOBILE
12d. Used Cars

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McAllen

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1938 DeSOTO Sedan, overdrive, radio. New car guarantee, $595. Brady Motor Co., 1018 Ash, McAllen.

1937 CHRYSLER Airflow Sedan. Overdrive, life guard tubes, exceptionally clean. New car guarantee. $595. Brady Motor Co., McAllen.

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12f. Trucks, Trailers

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12g. House Trailers

TRAILE HOUSE 16 feet, furnished for two people. Bargain this week. Drive in Trailer entrance. Butler's Camp, Mission.

FOR SALE: House trailer 22 feet long. Ruby Moren, Webb's Drug Store, Raymondville.

Fire Records

Area Saved $23,950 In '41 Premiums

McALLEN—Good fire records in the Valley will save its residents an estimated $23,950 during 1941 on fire insurance premiums, according to information from the South Texas Chamber of Commerce in San Antonio.

In the maximum 25 per cent credit class and their estimated saving are, Alamo, $400; San Benito, $2,850; Brownsville, $5,000; McAllen, $5,100; Mercedes, $2,000; Mission, $1,800; Port Isabel, $1,400, and Rio Grande City $500.

Cities with 20 per cent credits are Harlingen, $3,000; Raymondville, $650, and Weslaco, $1,250.

Prisoner Is Given His Wish By Judge

BROWNSVILLE —(AP)— Judge Robert J. McMillan asked the defendant, charged with smuggling, if he had anything to say.

"Well," said the fellow, "I've got a lot of friends at Leavenworth penitentiary and I'd like to go there."

He did—sentenced to two years.

LOS FRESNOS — E. H. Sparkman, professor of Spanish in Baylor University at Waco, was a guest of Miss Evelyn Page in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Goates on Thursday evening. Miss Page is a graduate of Baylor University.

DAY'S NEWS OF NATION'S MARKETS

STOCK LIST

NEW YORK STOCKS
By The Associated Press

Al Ch & Dye	146½	146½	146½
Am Can	85	85	85
Am S & R	40½	40¼	40½
Am Tel & Tel	160⅜	160⅜	160⅜
Am Woolen	8¾	8⅝	8¾
Anaconda	24⅜	24	24¼
ATSF	23	23	23
Aviation Corp	3⅝	3½	3⅝
Barnsdall Oil	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜
Bendix Av	34⅞	34¾	34¾
Beth Steel	78¾	78	78½
Borden Co	19¼	19	19¼
Chrysler	66	65¾	65¾
Col Gas & El	4¼	4¼	4¼
Consol Oil	5½	5½	5½
Cont Can	37½	37½	37½
Cont Oil Del	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝
Corn Prod	45¾	45⅝	45⅝
Curtiss Wright	8½	8¼	8¼
Douglas Aire	71½	71½	71½
El Power & Lt	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
Gen Elec	33	32⅝	32⅝
Gen Foods	45¼	35	35
Gen Motors	43⅜	42⅞	42¾
Goodrich	13¼	13	13⅛
Goodyear	18¼	17¾	17⅞
Greyhound	11⅛	11	11
Int Hydro El A	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Lorillard	17⅞	17⅝	17⅞
Mid Cont Pet	13½	13⅜	13⅜
Montgom Ward	37	36⅞	36⅞
Nash Kelvinator	4¼	4⅛	4⅛
Nat Dairy Pr	13⅜	13¼	13⅜
Ohio Oil	7	6⅞	7
Packard Mot	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
Pan Am Airways	12¾	12½	12½
Panhandle P & L	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
Penney	76¾	76¾	76¾
Phillips Pet	36	36	36
Pure Oil	7⅜	7¼	7⅜
R C A	4⅜	4⅜	4¼
Sears Roebuck	71⅞	71⅜	71¾
Socony Vac	8⅝	8½	8½
Sou Pac	9	8⅞	9
Stand Brands	6¼	6¼	6¼
S O Cal	19⅛	18⅞	18⅞
S O Ind	26¼	26	26⅛
S O NJ	34⅝	34⅜	34⅜
Stone & Webster	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Tex Pac Ry	10½	10⅛	10⅛
Tex Corp	35⅝	35⅝	35⅞
Tex Gulf Sulph	35⅞	35⅞	36⅞
Tex Pac C & O	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Tide Wat A Oil	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛
Union Carbide	65	65⅛	64⅝
Union Oil	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
United Aire	38½	38⅛	38⅛
United Gas Imp	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
U S Rubber	21	20⅜	20⅜
U S Steel	59	58½	58½
Walgreen	20	20	20
Warner Bros	3	3	3
W U Tel	20⅛	20	20
West El & Mfg	95½	95½	95½
White Mot	14	13⅞	13⅞
Wilson & Co	4¾	4¾	4¾
Woolworth	31	30¾	31

NEW YORK CURB

Am Cyan B	34⅛	33¾	34
Am Gas & El	29⅛	28½	28¾
Bellanca Aire	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
Cities Service	5	4¾	5
Crocker-Wh El M	5	4¾	4¾
El Bond & Sh	64	64	64
Fairchild Av	8¼	8¼	8¼
Gulf Oil	31⅝	31⅛	31⅛
Humble Oil	53⅜	53½	53½
Lone Star Gas	9⅞	9⅝	9⅞
Niag Hud Pow	3	2⅞	2⅞
Todd Shipyards	80	80	80
Unit Lt & Pow A	11¾	11¾	11¾

NEW YORK BONDS
Foreign

Ger Govt	7S	49	12⅞
Italy	7S	1951	36⅞
Japan	6½s	54	65½
Domestic			
Alleghany	5S	50	62¼
Am Ig Chem	5½	49	103¼
Am T & T	5½	43	103¼
AT & SF	4S	95	108¼
Can Pac	4S	perp	55½
CB & Q	4½	77	75½
Chi Gt West	4	59	33¼
Cri & P	4½	52A	9½
Erie Rf	5S	75	18¼
Gt Nor	4S	46	100⅜
Il Cen	4¾	66	40½
KC South	5	50	64
M K T	5S	62	17½
NY NH & H	4½	67	22¾
Nor Pac	6S	2047	64¾
Penn RR	5½	52	89¼
St Louis SF	4½	78	11¼
Sou Pac	4½	68	47
South Ry	4S	56	46⅜
Tex Corp	3	59	104⅜
Tex & Pac	5	80D	68¾
Un Pac 1st	4S	47	111¾

STOCKS IN THE SPOTLIGHT

NEW YORK—(AP)—Sales, closing price and net change of the fifteen most active stocks Saturday:

US Rubber 4,200	20⅜	+ ⅛
Loft 2,800	17¾	— ⅛
Int Pap & P 2,600	13¾	— ⅛
Packard 2,500	2¾	— ⅛
Std Oil N J 2,500	34⅜	No
Leh Val Coal Pf 2,300	3½	+ ⅞
US Steel 2,200	58⅝	— ⅛
Param Pict 2,000	10⅞	— ¼
Pac Tin Cons 2,000	3⅛	— ⅜
North Amer Co 1,900	15⅞	No
Deere & Co 1,800	20¼	+ ⅛
Anaconda 1,800	24¼	No
Amer Crystal Sug 1,700	12⅝	+ ⅛
Socony-Vac 1,700	8⅛	— ⅛
Kennecott 1,700	32½	

BUTTER AND EGGS

CHICAGO—(AP)—Butter, steady, unchanged.

Eggs steady, current receipts 15½; dirties 14½, checks 14; others unchanged.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK—(AP)—The free Argentine peso dropped 1-10 of a cent Saturday to the lowest price of the year in terms of the United States dollar.

The Hongkong dollar dipped .03 of a cent. The Canadian dollar rose ⅛.

Closing rates follow (Great Britain in dollars, others in cents).

Canada.

Official Canadian Control Board rates for U. S. dollars; buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.01 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent. Canadian dollar in New York open market 14¾ per cent discount or 85.62½ U. S. cents.

Europe

Great Britain, official, (Bankers Foreign Exchange Committee rates), buying $4.02, selling $4.04; open market, cables $4.03⅛; Germany 40.05N; (Benevolent) 20.15; Finland 2.05N; Greece .68N; Hungary 19.77N; Italy 5.06; Portugal 4.01; Sweden 23.85; Switzerland (X) 23.23; Yugoslavia 2.30N.

Latin America.

Argentine official 29.77; free 23.40; Brazil official 6.05N; free 5.00N; Mexico 20.70N.

Far East

Japan 23.48; Hongkong 24.64; Shanghai 5.72.

(Rates in spot cables unless otherwise indicated).

N—Nominal. X—for commercial transactions.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO—(AP)—Wheat prices fluctuated within a range of about a cent Saturday, rising above or dipping below the previous closing level and finishing with only slight net change.

Wheat closed ¼ lower to ¼ higher compared with Friday, May 83½-⅜, July 75⅝-½; corn unchanged to ⅛ down, May 60⅜-¾, July 60½; oats unchanged to ⅛ off.

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO—(AP)—Cash wheat sample yellow 78½.

Corn No. 2 yellow old 64; No. 3, 63¼; No. 2 new 60-62¼; No. 4, 58¼-61¼; No. 5, 56¼-58¼; No. 3 white 66; sample 55¼.

Oats No. 2 red heavy 37¼; No. 1 white heavy 38¼; No. 2½ 38½.

TEXAS GRAIN

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Demand for grain on the Fort Worth market was dull Saturday.

Wheat—No. 1 hard 90-93c.
Barley—No. 2 nominally 56-57c.
Sorghums—No. 2 yellow milo per 100 lbs nom 1.10-12; No. 2 white kafir nom 1.08-10.
Corn, shelled—No. 2 white 72-73½c.
Oats—No. 2 red 41-42c.

TEXAS PRODUCE

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Produce unchanged.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN

KANSAS CITY—(AP)—Wheat: 54 cars, ¼ lower to ¼ higher. No. 2 dark hard, 90¼-80¾; No. 2 hard 81¼; No. 2 red, 81-81¾. Close: May 76⅛; July 72¾; September 72¾.

Corn: 30 cars, ½-¾ lower. No. 2 white nom 58¾-60; No. 2 yellow nom 57¾-59; No. 2 mixed nom 57¼-58¼. Close: May 57⅞; July 57¾.

Oats: 2 cars; ¼ lower. No. 2 white nom 35-36½.

NEW ORLEANS SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Spot cotton closed quiet 1 point higher; Sales 306 low middling 9.01, middling 10.46, good middling 11.01, receipts none. Stock 532,098.

CITRUS

VALLEY CARLOT SHIPMENTS FRIDAY

Grapefruit 63, Oranges 4, Beets 2, Beets and Carrots 3, Broccoli 1, Cabbage 43, Carrots 8, Endive 1, Parsley 1, Mixed Vegetables 102, total 228 cars.

Totals by Rail and Boat to Date This Season: Grapefruit 6423, Oranges 691, Mixed Citrus 515, Tangerines 4, Lemons 3, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 53, Beans 1, Beets 248, Beets and Carrots 196, Broccoli 26, Cabbage 1193, Carrots 612, Dandelion 2, Eggplant 2, Endive 26, Escarole 4, Greens 6, Parsley 74, Peas 58, Peppers 103, Potatoes 45, Radishes 31, Spinach 105, Squash 2, Tomatoes 244, Turnips 1, Mixed Vegetable 3942, total 14,611;

To The Same Date Last Season: Citrus Fruit 10,671, Vegetables 8838, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 94, total 19,603 cars.

AVERAGE AUCTION PRICES OF GRAPEFRUIT SOLD AND UNREPORTED FRIDAY

NEW YORK: Texas Pinks 425 Boxes Gen Avg 1.94, High 1.91, Low 1.83.

Fla Marsh 5070 Boxes Gen Avg 1.91, High 2.19, Low 1.86.

Fla Marsh 2570 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.42, High 1.59, Low 1.23.

Fla Other 2355 Boxes Gen Avg 1.49, High 1.79, Low 1.35.

Fla Marsh Pinks 190 Boxes Gen Avg 1.93, High 2.12, Low 1.79.

VALLEY TRUCK CITRUS MOVEMENT FRIDAY (98 Trucks)

Grapefruit: 80 lb Boxes 14556, ½ Boxes 89, Bushels 30, 80 lb Sacks 2528, 50 lb Sacks 103, 40 lb Sacks 41.

Oranges: 80 lb Boxes 5269, 50 lb Boxes 47, ½ Boxes 132, Bushels 108, 50 lb Sacks 1779, 40 lb Sacks 62, 20 lb Sacks 200, 10 lb Sacks 909.

Tangerines: Bushels 28, Half Bushels 6.

Carlot Equiv Feb. 28: Grapefruit 43.1, Oranges 16.8, Tangerines 0, total 59.9 cars.

To Date This Season: Grapefruit 7113.7, Oranges 3631.6, Tangerines 101.9, total 11047.2.

To Date Last Season: Grapefruit 4678.6, Oranges 3434.4, Tangerines 113.0, total 8226.0.

FLORIDA TRUCK CITRUS MOVEMENT FRIDAY

Carlot Equiv Feb. 28: Grapefruit 31, Oranges 68, Tangerines 4, total 103 cars.

To Date This Season: Grapefruit 2530, Oranges 10043, Tangerines 1095, total 13728 cars.

To Date Last Season: Grapefruit 2205, Oranges 9490, Tangerines 1229, total 12924 cars.

SALES OF CITRUS ON SATURDAY'S WHOLESALE MARKETS IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES

FORT WORTH: Grapefruit: Market Steady Marsh Boxes: US No. 2s 1.25-1.50, US No. 3s 1.10-1.25, Marsh Pink US 3s: Std Boxes 1.35-1.50.

Oranges: Market Steady Nail and Wire Boxes: Valencias US 2s mostly 2.00-2.25, US No. 3s 1.75-2.00.

DENVER: Grapefruit: Market Steady Marsh US Comb: Std Boxes 54s to 64s 1.40-1.50, 70s and Smaller 1.60-1.85, Wire Boxes: 54s to 64s 1.10-1.25, 70s and Smaller 1.40-1.60.

Oranges: Market Steady Valencias: Wire Boxes 2.25.

KANSAS CITY: Grapefruit: Market Steady Marsh US Comb: Std Boxes 2.25, US Comb, US 2s and Better: Wire Box 1.35-1.85, Marsh Pink US Comb: Std Boxes 2.25-2.75.

Oranges: Market Steady Valencias: Wire Boxes 2.40-2.50, Temples: Std Boxes 2.75-3.00.

MINNEAPOLIS: Street sales early Sat.) Grapefruit: Market Firm on Best Marsh US Comb: Std Boxes 2.15-2.40, Wire Boxes 1.80-2.30, US No. 2: Wire Boxes 1.75-2.25, Marsh Pink US Comb: Std Boxes 2.65-3.00, US No. 2: Wire Boxes 2.35-2.40.

Oranges: Market Steady Var. Varieties wire Boxes US Comb 2.90-3.00, US No. 2s 2.75.

VEGETABLES

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM OTHER TEXAS DISTRICTS FOR FRIDAY

Corstal Bend: Cabbage 25, Mixed Vegetabels 7, Beets 1, Spinnach 3, total 36 cars. Correction: for February 19th deduct Cabbage 1.

Laredo Dist: Beets and Carrots 1, bunched and clipped, Mixed Vegetables 5, total 6 cars.

Winter Garden: Carrots 5, Spinach 20, total 25 cars.

Eagle Pass: Spinach 29, total 29 cars.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR FRIDAY

Lower Rio Grande Valley:

Beets: Haulings moderate. Demand slow, market dull. Half crates, 3 dozen bunches, straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms: 65-75c; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track 60-65c. Top ice extra.

Carrots: Haulings moderate. Demand slow, market slightly weaker. Straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms: L. A. crates, 6 dozen bunches, $1.25-1.35, half crates 4 dozen bunches, 80-85c; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track: L. A. crates, $1.15-1.35, mostly around $1.25, half crates 70-80c, mostly 75c. Top ice extra. Paid growers mostly $15.00, few $17.50, per ton for truckloads delivered at packing sheds.

Eagle Pass and South Texas Points:

Spinach: Haulings moderate. Demand moderate, market steady. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: bushel baskets, Savoy type, 40-45c.

Rochester, N. Y. (Western and Central N. Y.):

Cabbage: Light wire inquiry. Demand light, market about steady. Carloads and truckloads f.o.b. usual terms and carloads and truckloads f.o.b. shipping point (based on delivered sales, less all transportation charges) and truckloads f.o.b. cash at shipping point: packed per ton, Danish type, few sales $36.00 to $40.00.

Lake Okeechobee Section, Florida:

Cabbage: Haulings very light. Demand fair, market about steady. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truckloads cash at packing houses: 1½ bushel hampers, domestic round type, $1.15-1.25; bulk per ton, $30.00 to $40.00.

Brawley, Calif.:

Carrots: Demand very light, market weak. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: L. A. crates, 4 dozen bunches, few sales, mostly $1.15, very few high as $1.35, occasional sale $1.05-1.10. Top ice extra. Few wire sales, few consigned. Some shipments rolled for delivered sales and some shipments on guaranteed advances. Some shipments rolled unsold. Inspections Thursday: 58% graded US No. 1a, 31% graded 90% US No. 1 quality, 10% graded below 90% US No. 1 quality.

COTTONSEED OIL

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Bleachable prime summer yellow 6.10A. Prime crude 5.37½N. March 6.00B, May 6.11B, July 6.22B, September 6.28B, October 6.30B.

BOSTON WOOL

BOSTON—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Offerings of spot domestic wools were very limited in the Boston market during the past week. Small quantities of fine combing Delaine fleeces were sold at 42-44 cents, in the grease. Occasional sales of graded three eighths and one quarter blood bright fleeces were reported at 43-45 cents, in the grease. Low one quarter blood combing Ohio wools were quoted nominally at 43-44 cents, in the grease, and common and braid wools at 42-43 cents, in the grease.

METALS

NEW YORK—(AP)—Copper steady; electrolytic spot, Conn. Valley 12.00; export, PAS NY, 10.50-12.00. Tin steady; spot and nearby 51.37½; forward 51.00. Lead steady; spot, New York 5.65-70; East St. Louis 5.50. Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and forward 7.25.

MIDDLING COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16ths inch cotton Saturday at ten designated southern spot markets was 1 point higher at 10.26 cents a pound; average for the past thirty market days 10.12 cents; middling ⅞ths inch average 10.03 cents a pound.

OKLAHOMA LIVESTOCK

OKLAHOMA CITY—(AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Cattle 100; calves 25; for the week: Slaughter classes steady; stockers and feeders firm; week's prices: medium to good grade steers 9.50-10.35; one load 10.50; common and medium grades 7.50-9.25; odd lots good to choice yearlings 10.50-11.00; good grades mostly 9.25-10.25; common to good heifers 7.00-10.25; bulk common to good beef cows 5.75-7.50; canners and cutters 4.00-5.75; bulls 7.60; vealer top 13.00; bulk 12.00 down; slaughter calves 6.50-10.00; quality yearling stockers 10.50; bulk 7.50-9.00.

Hogs 900; steady; bulk good and choice 170-270 lb butchers 7.25-50; packing sows 6.25-50; stags 6.00 down; stocker and feeder pigs 5.00-50.

Sheep none; for the week: fat lambs steady to strong; week's bulk good and choice wooled lambs 10.25-35; ewes 10.40; odd lots new crop lambs 10.75; fat ewes 3.50-5.25.

GOVERNMENT BONDS

NEW YORK—(AP)—Government bonds:

Treasury.			
3¾ 43-41	March 1		100.1
3¾ 47-43	4		107.4
4 54-44	2	—	112.16
4¼ 52-47	1		110.29

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK—(AP)—

Stocks—irregular; price changes narrow.

Bonds—mixed; Japanes issues higher.

Foreign Exchange—quiet; generally unchanged.

Cotton—narrow; March liquidation, trade buying.

Sugar—higher; active switching operations.

Metals—quiet; tight zinc supply continues.

Wool Tops—inactive; business limited to switching.

CHICAGO—

Wheat—about steady; some profit taking.

Corn—easy; hedging sales.

Cattle—steady.

Hogs—steady; practical top $7.90.

By FREDERICK GARDNER

NEW YORK—(AP)—It was just the start of another month for the stock market Saturday and leading issues finished the week with mildly irregular price changes in dealings that were the slowest in six months.

Mail orders and specialties did fairly well while the buoyant utilities of the preceding session took a rest and steels, motors, aircrafts, coppers and rails were unable to record progress.

The Assbciated Press average of 60 stocks was off .1 of a point but on the week retained an advance of .7. The net decline for February amounted to .6. Transfers of 141,190 shares were the smallest for any session since August 24 last year.

The recent feeble recovery trend met opposition as Bulgaria signed up with the Axis.

Prominent stocks on the losing side Saturday included U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, General Motors, Westinghouse, Kennecott, United Aircraft, Douglas Aircraft, Santa Fe, Chesapeake & Ohio, Western Union, Consolidated Edison, American Water Works, Goodyear and Electric Power & Light.

Holding gains of fractions to a point or so were Fajardo Sugar, Texas Corp., Montgomery Ward, Sears Roebuck, U. S. Rubber, Du Pont, American Telephone, Pennsylvania, Great Western Sugar and Lehigh Valley Coal preferred.

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle salable 200, total 500. Calves salable and total 200. Saturday's trade nominal. Compared close last week; mature beef steers steady to weak, spots 25c higher, yearlings steady to 25c lower; cows 25c and more higher, bulls strong to 35c higher, slaughter calves fully 25c higher, stockers steady to 25c lower; top mature beef steers 11.00 few yearlings to 12.00 and club yearlings to 13.00; very few heifers above 10.50; practical top cows 7.50, odd head to 8.00; best heavy bulls 7.50; slaughter calves up to 10.50 vealers to 12.00; top stock steer calves 13.00, stock heifer calves 12.00; yearling stock steers 10.50, older feeder 10.00, stock cows 7.50.

Hogs salable 500, total 1,000. Steady to 10c higher than Friday's average; top 7.60, paid by all interests; good and choice 180-300 lb 7.50 and 7.60; good 150 lb weights down to 6.75; pigs scarce; packing sows steady, 0.50 down. Compared with week ago, good butchers steady to 10c lower.

Sheep salable and total 300. Saturday's trade nominal. Compared with last week's close: Fat lambs mostly 25c higher; other classes steady; bulk fat lambs 9.50-10.25; top choice lambs 10.50; shorn lambs 7.50-8.25; wooled yearlings scarce at 8.50 down; shorn yearlings 7.75; wooled aged wethers 6.50 down; two-year-olds scarce; wooled feeder lambs 8.00-9.00, shorn feeder lambs mostly 6.25.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Salable hogs 300; total 5,800; good and choice hogs too scarce to test values; practical top quotable around 7.90; odd lots good light and medium weight hogs 7.50-75; shippers took none; holdover 500; compared week ago; market generally steady to strong on all weights barrows and gilts and on sows.

Salable cattle none; calves none; compared Friday last week: fed steers and yearlings weak to 25 lower, good to choice yearlings and yearling type light steers showing most decline; under sharply abridged receipts locally and at other leading trade centers market closed moderately active on local but dull on eastern shipper account; eastern dressed beef trade weakened late in week; largely fed steer and heifer run; latter class steady to weak; cows weak to 25 lower, active at close; bulls 25 off and vealers 1.00-1.25 lower; fat steers bulked at 9.25-12.50; very little above 13.00 although choice to prime 1172 lb steers topped at 14.85 with rest 1090 lb yearlings at 14.50 and 1031 lb kinds at 14.00; best heavies 13.75; very good 1500-1600 lb str. feeding at 12.00-12.75; bulkin grs 9.00-10.75; choice 1090 lb heifers topped at 12.25; with lights at 11.50; heavy cutter cows were selling rather freely up to 8.25 and heavy sausage bulls to 8.15 late in week when choice vealers had been pounded to 13.00, with 110-150 lbs at 10.00-12.50.

Salable sheep 1,000; total 3,500; late Friday slight and handy weight fed lambs steady to strong, weightier and less desirable finished kinds slow, steady; top lightly handyweights 11.00-11.15; weightier and less desirably finished kinds mostly 10.75-10.90, with extreme weights 10.50; fat sheep strong, two decks fed western ewes 6.60. Compared Friday last week: light and handy weight fat lambs steady to strong, weights above 100 lbs and kinds with less desirable finish weak to 25 lower; fat sheep 25-.75 up; no feeding or shearing lambs offered; late top fed lambs 11.20; bulk good and choice light and handy weights 11.00-11.15; with 101-106 lb weights 10.75-10.90, and some with less finish and others weighing upward to 118 lbs 10.15-10.50; best fed western ewes 6.60, bulk 6.00-6.50, most fat natives 5.00-6.00.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Hogs salable and total 35, not enough offered to test values; market nominally steady; for week: weights 240 lbs down steady to 10 lower; heavier weights 10 to 15 higher; late top 7.55; packing sows steady.

Cattle, salable and total 150; calves, salable and total 75; for week: fed steers of average good to choice grades 15 to 25 lower; common to low good grades steady to strong; heifers steady to mostly 25 lower medium to good cows steady; lower grades cows and bulls 25 higher; vealers 50 lower; stocker and feeder prices mostly steady; week's tops: 921-lb heifers 11.85; choice 1101 lb steers 11.75; choice 1323 lb steers 11.60; vealers 12.50; light stockers 11.50; bulk fed steers 9.00-11.25; short fed heifers 9.25-10.25.

Sheep, salable none, total 500; for week: killing classes generally steady; closing top fed lambs 10.75; week's bulk good and choice fed lots 10.50-75, late sales clipped lambs 8.75-9.00; week's top 9.25; closing sales natives down from 10.50; good and choice slaughter ewes 5.25-75; shearing lambs 10.00-10.35.

TEXAS COTTON

DALLAS—(AP)—Cotton 10.03; Houston 10.19; Galveston 10.15.

Newcomers File

3 Seek Mayor's Job In San Juan

SAN JUAN — Three prominent businessmen and newcomers in the political field have filed for offices in the city election here on April 8.

Heading the ticket is A. E. Sharrer, president of Growers Supplies, Inc., and resident of San Juan for 20 years, will seek election as mayor. Dr. Earl Reed and F. C. Gordon, druggist, will be candidates for commissioners' berths.

Incumbent city officials, Mayor Walter C. Good and Commissioners W. G. Tice and Tom Lovett, have not yet indicated if they will seek re-election.

Students Stuff Box

GEORGETOWN, Ky. —(AP)— Students of Georgetown college had to hold their annual campus elections twice because, the student council announced, ballot boxes were "stuffed" in the first polling.

THE SUNDAY RADIO LOG

WLW (Cincinnati) MBS dial 700 WOAI (San Antonio) NBC dial 1190
KRGV (Weslaco) NBC dial 1260 KWKH (Shreveport) CBS dial 1100
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KRGV—News Roundup
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KWKH—Concert Gems
WLW—Church Forum
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KTSA—Christian Science
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KWKH—Wings Over Jordan
WLW—Children's Hour
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KPRC—Early Choir
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WOAI—Early Choir
KWKH—Church of the Air
WLW—News
9:30 a. m.
KRGV—Real Estate Hour
KPRC—T. J Bettes
KTSA—Symphony
WOAI—Dr. F. B. Hill
KWKH—Symphony
WLW—Southernaires
10:00 a. m.
KRGV—Real Estate Hour
KPRC—News
KTSA—News
WOAI—News
KWKH—News
WLW—Inside Radio
10:30 a. m.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Major Bowes
WOAI—Music and Youth
KWKH—Major Bowes
WLW—Thrasher Sisters
11:00 a. m.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Major Bowes
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—Cadle Tabernacle Choir
11:30 a. m.
KRGV—Music Hall
KTSA—Travis Park Church
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—A. M. Services
WLW—Western College Choir
12:00 Noon
KRGV—Radio City
KTSA—Church of the Air
WOAI—Sammy Kaye orch
KWKH—Church of the Air
WLW—Music of the Masters
12:30 p. m.
KRGV—Sundown on the Veldt
KPRC—Music, 12:45
KTSA—

Screen Calendar NEWS OF LATEST MOTION PICTURES Current Films

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VALLEY SCREEN CALENDAR

CAPITOL THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Margaret Sullavan and Charles Boyer in "Back Street," with Richard Carlson, Tim Holt, Frank McHugh and Frank Jenks.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Carole Landis and Adolphe Menjou in "Road Show," with John Hubbard, Patsy Kelley, Charles Butterworth and Florence Bates.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Virginia Gilmore and Robert Young in "Western Union" with Randolph Scott and Dean Jagger. Filmed in Technicolor.

QUEEN THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY ONLY: Penny Singleton and Arthur Lake in "Blondie Plays Cupid" with Larry Simms

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Jean Harlow and eBn Lyon in Howard Hughes' "Hell's Angels" with Howard Hall.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Brenda Marshall and John Garfield in "East of the River," with Marjorie Rambeau and Bill Lundigan.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Ray Corrigan in "Trail of the Silver Spurs," with John King and Max Terhune.

RIVOLI THEATRE, SAN BENITO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Ida Lupino and Humphrey Bogart in "High Sierra," with Alan Curtis and Joan Leslie.

TUESDAY ONLY: Frank Morgan in "Keeping Company," with Ann Rutherford, John Shelton, Irene Rich and Virginia Weidler.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Betty Field and Frederic March in "Victory," with Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Jerome Cowan and Margaret Wycherly.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Ginger Rogers and Dennis Morgan in "Kitty Foyle," with James Craig, Eduardo Ciannelli, Ernest Cossart and Gladys Cooper.

ARCADIA THEATRE, HARLINGEN

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RIALTO THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Marjorie Weaver and Sidney Toler in "Murder Over New York" with Ricardo Cortez.

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Miriam Hopkins and Claude Rains in "The Lady with Red Hair," with Richard Ainly, John Litel and Laura Hope Crews.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Billie Burke and Frank Morgan in "Wild Man of Borneo" with Donald Meek and Mary Howard.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Tex Ritter in "Rollin' Home to Texas," with Slim Andrews.

STRAND THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Alice Faye and Betty Grable in "Tin Pan Alley," with John Payne, Jack Oakie, Allen Jenks and Esther Ralston.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Jeannette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in "Bitterswest," with George Sanders, Ian Hunter, Fay Holden and Janet Beecher. Filmed in color.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Peggy Moran and Franchot Tone in "Trail of the Vigilantes," with Broderick Crawford, Andy Devine and Warren William.

SATURDAY, SUNDAY: "Juan Pistolas" (Spanish Language Film).

RITZ THEATRE, WESLACO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Hedy Lamarr and James Stewart in "Come Live With Me," with Ian Hunter, Verree Teasdale and Donald Meek.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Bonnie Baker and Orrin Tucker "You're the One," with Albert Dekker, Edward Everett Horton and Lillian Cornell.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Joan Bennett and Louis Hayward in "Son Of Monte Cristo," with George Sanders, Florence Bates and James Seay.

GEM THEATRE, WESLACO

SUNDAY ONLY: Wendy Barrie and Richard Dix in "Men Against the Sky," with Edmund Lowe.

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Patricia Morison and Cesar Romero in "Romance of the Rio Grande" with Richard Cortez.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Betty Grable and Don Ameche in "Down Argentine Way," with Charlotte Greenwood.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: John King and Ray Corrigan in "Range Busters," with Max Terhune.

STATE THEATRE, MERCEDES

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Joan Bennett and Louis Hayward in "Son Of Monte Cristo," with George Sanders, Florence Bates and James Seay.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Betty Field and Fredric March in "Victory," with Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Jerome Cowan, Margaret Wycheraly and Fritz Field.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Bud Abbott and Lou Costello in "Buck Privates" with Lee Bowman, Alan Curtis, Nat Pendleton and the Andrews Sisters.

REX THEATRE, MERCEDES

SUNDAY ONLY: Virginia Dale and Wayne Morris in "The Quarterback."

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Betty Grable and Don Ameche in "Down Argentine Way," with Charlotte Greenwood.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Irene Rich and Charles Bickford in "Queen of the Yukon."

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Nell O'Day and Johnny Mack in "Boss of Bullion City," with Fuzzy Knight.

PALACE THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Hedy Lamarr and James Stewart in "Come Live With Me," with Ian Hunter, Verree Teasdale and Donald Meek.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Lou Costello and Bud Abbott in "Buck Privates," with Lee Bowman, Alan Curtis, Nat Pendleton and the Andrews Sisters.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Madeleine Carroll and Fred MacMurray in "Virginia," with Stirling Hayden, Helen Broderick. Filmed in color.

QUEEN THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Ann Dvorak and Lola Lane in "Girls of the Road."

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Mary Martin and Bing Crosby in "Rhythm on the River," with Basil Rathbone and Oscar Levant.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Louise Platt and Victor Mature in "Captain Caution," with Bruce Cabot, Leo Carrillo and Roscoe Bates.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Gene Autry in "Ridin' on a Rainbow," with Smiley Burnette, Mary Lee and Carol Adams.

Popular James Stewart and glamorous Hedy Lamarr are co-starred for the first time in the gay romance "Come Live With Me," which is currently showing Sunday and Monday at both the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and the Palace Theatre in McAllen. Featured roles are portrayed by Ian Hunter, Veree Teasdale and Donald Meek.

Current Films

PACKED with the same emotional dramatic elements which made the original novel so popular, the picturization of Fannie Hurst's "Back Street," starring Charles Boyer and Margaret Sullavan is one of the most outstanding pictures scheduled for March release.

In picture form "Back Street" contains everyone of the tense dramatic situations, emotional climaxes and vivid characterizations which made the novel a sensational best seller.

No better choice than Charles Boyer and Margaret Sullavan for the roles of Ray Smith and Walker Saxel could have been made, skilled, convincing and competent in the handling of emotional scenes, Boyer and Miss Sullavan deliver performances which have never been excelled. Featured supporting roles are played by Richard Carlson, Frank McHugh, Tim Holt and Samuel S. Hinds.

"Back Street" is booked for current showing today and Monday at both the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and the Capitol Theatre in Brownsvile.

POPULAR STARS SEEN IN NEW FILM

JAMES STEWART and Hedy Lamarr sharing romantic honors in "Come Live With Me" touches a high spot in screen entertainment.

No happier combination could have been found than the conservative and bashful Stewart plus the glamorous Lamarr in a story of an unkissed bride on a week end honeymoon with a bashful but romantic and loving husband.

The plot, briefly, tells the story of a beautiful Austrian refugee in the uncomfortable position of either getting married to an American citizen thus obtaining a quota number or being deported to her native Austria. By chance she meets Stewart, a young author and the two of them strike up a bargain. They are married, thus giving Lamarr her quota number and Stewart becomes her husband. Just how the plan works out and catches both parties in a hectic and amusing romance proves highly entertaining.

"Come Live With Me" is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and the Palace Theatre in McAllen.

BURNETT NOVEL IS DRAMATIC FILM

W. R. BURNETT'S dramatic story "High Sierra" which as a screen production stars Humphrey Bogart and Ida Lupino is a parodox. It is a gangster story that isn't a gangster story at all. Bogart carries a gun, an unsmiling face and a prison record all through the film, but he does not admit he is a criminal, as a matter of fact, he never does admit it. When asked he says he is a farmer. His role as termed by the author "the last of the Dillinger gang," gives Bogart his most outstanding screen role.

When the picture opens Bogart is already in prison, thinking things over he makes up his mind that he will spend the rest of his life as a simple farmer, living with the sky and the soil but by the time he decides to start back to the farm it is too late.

"High Sierra" is booked for current showing today and Monday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito.

DUMAS' DASHING ADVENTURER RETURNS

THE GLORY of fiction's greatest romance lives again in "The Son of Monte Cristo" as a gallant heir of a gallant father's daring and romantic adventures. Starring Louis Hayward, Joan Bennett and George Sanders, "The Son of Monte Cristo" is not only excellently and thrillingly staged it is acted by a cast of stars who were carefully chosen for their special talents.

"The Son of Monte Cristo" is booked for showing today and Monday at the State Theatre in Mercedes and at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Indians! Adventure! Spectacle! Thrills! Are all combined in the thrilling screen adaptation of Zane Grey's great story of America's push westward "Western Union," which is scheduled for showing Thursday, Friday and Saturday at both the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville. Starring roles in the film are played by Robert Young, Randolph Scott, Dean Jagger, Virginia Gilmore, John Carradine, Slim Summerville, Barton MacLane and a score of other favorites.

Ida Lupino and Humphrey Bogart are cast in the leading roles of the action-paced and thrill-packed "High Sierra," which is currently showing Sunday and Monday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito.

Ginger Rogers Tops As "Kitty Foyle"

Christopher Morley's popular and widely read novel "Kitty Foyle" is brought to life on the screen by personable and capable Ginger Rogers supported by Dennis Morgan and newcomer James Craig.

"Kitty Foyle" is scheduled for showing Friday and Saturday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito.

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TODAY—MONDAY
Out of Adventure—came their love ...out of Danger came her throne!
Edward Small presents JOAN BENNETT LOUIS HAYWARD in The SON of MONTE CRISTO
Released thru United Artists

GEM WESLACO
SUNDAY ONLY
RICHARD DIX AS "MEN AGAINST THE SKY" WITH EDMUND LOWE

REX MERCEDES
SUNDAY ONLY
WAYNE MORRIS IN "THE QUARTERBACK" WITH VIRGINIA DALE

RITZ WESLACO
TODAY—MONDAY
James STEWART Hedy LAMARR "Come Live With Me"
An M-G-M Picture with Ian Hunter · Veree Teasdale

QUEEN BROWNSVILLE
SUNDAY ONLY
Penny SINGLETON IN "BLONDIE PLAYS CUPID" WITH ARTHUR LAKE

RIALTO HARLINGEN
SUNDAY ONLY
SIDNEY TOLER as CHARLIE CHAN IN "MURDER OVER NEW YORK" WITH RICARDO CORTEZ

STRAND HARLINGEN
SUNDAY—MONDAY
ALICE FAYE IN "TIN PAN ALLEY" WITH JACK OAKIE JOHN PAYNE

QUEEN McALLEN
SUNDAY ONLY
ANN DVORAK IN "GIRLS OF THE ROAD" WITH HELEN MACK LOLA LANE

PALACE McALLEN
TODAY MONDAY
Step right up, for the greatest opportunity of your LIFETIME —and LOVETIME!
James STEWART · Hedy LAMARR in "Come Live With Me"
An M-G-M Picture with IAN HUNTER · VEREE TEASDALE
CLARENCE BROWN PRODUCTION
EXTRA: PORKY PIG in "Sour Puss Porky"
LATEST NEWS

RIVOLI SAN BENITO
TODAY MONDAY
MOLTEN MELODRAMA!
The Daring, Dramatic Story of the Last Stand of the Last PUBLIC ENEMY!
HIGH SIERRA
starring IDA LUPINO Humphrey BOGART with ALAN CURTIS JOAN LESLIE
EXTRA: DONALD DUCK in the new laugh-fest "TIMBER"
PARAMOUNT NEWS

ARCADIA HARLINGEN
TODAY and MONDAY
CAPITOL BROWNSVILLE
TODAY and MONDAY
Two great stars together for the first time... in the great American love story of all time!
Charles BOYER Margaret SULLAVAN in BACK STREET by FANNIE HURST
ARCADIA SHORTS: "WISE OLD OWL" CARTOON UNUSUAL OCCUPATIONS PARAMOUNT WORLD NEWS
CAPITOL SHORTS: "PORKY'S HIRED HAND" Cartoon PARAMOUNT PICTORIAL LATEST WORLD NEWS

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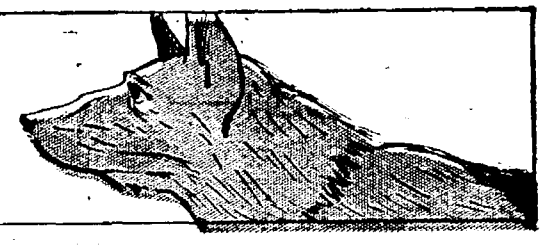

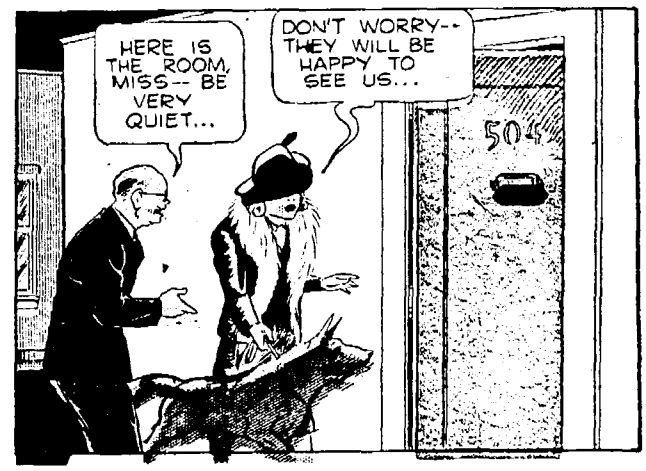

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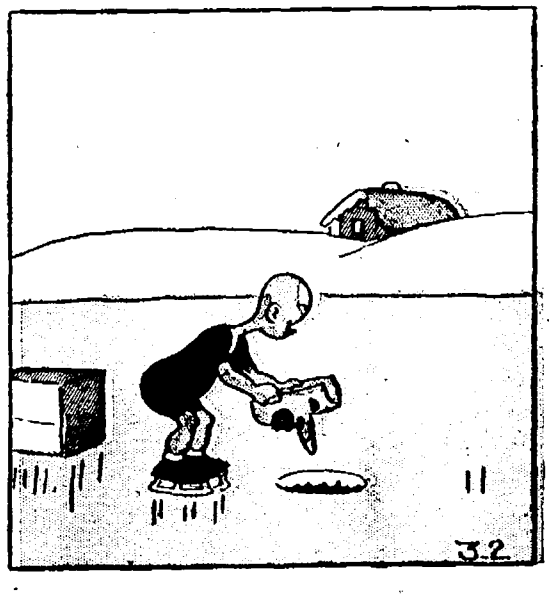

SUNDAY, MARCH 2, 1941

CAPTAIN EASY BY ROY CRANE

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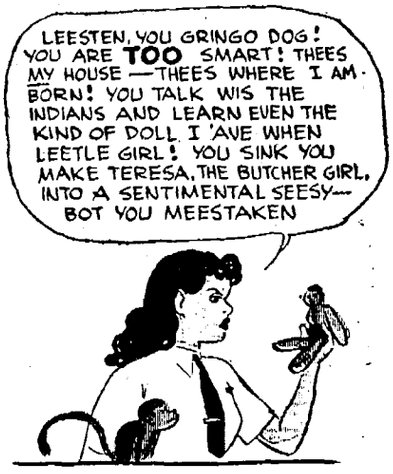
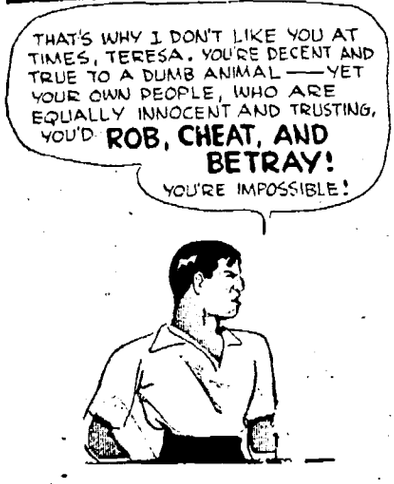
TERESA IS WAITING FOR THE HOUR OF MIDNIGHT, WHEN SHE AND HER BANDITS ARE TO SNATCH THE ANCIENT MAYAN TREASURES FROM THE INDIAN VILLAGE WHERE SHE WAS BORN. SHE HEARS A WHISTLE OUTSIDE





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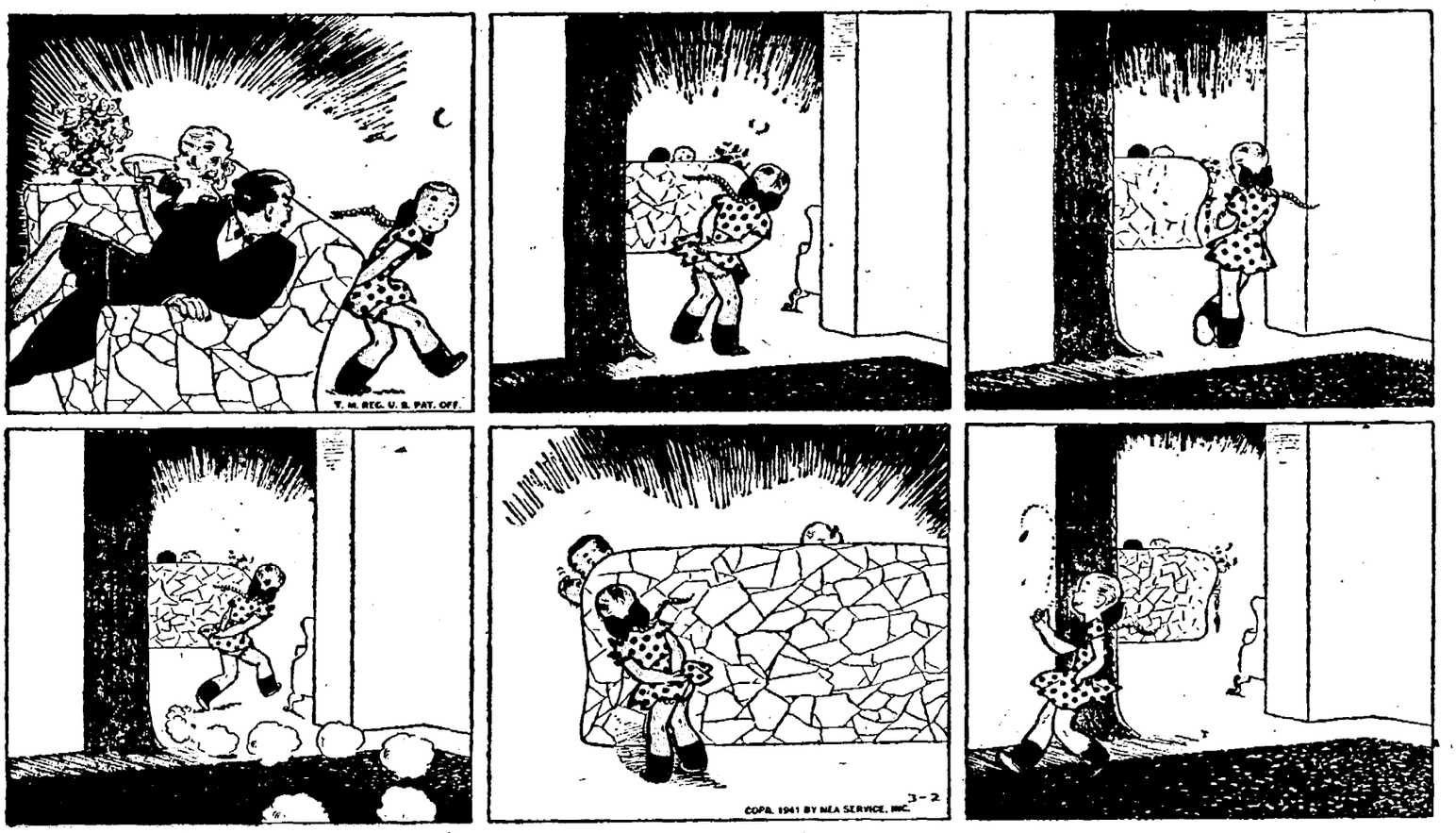
BOOTS



BABE 'N' HORACE

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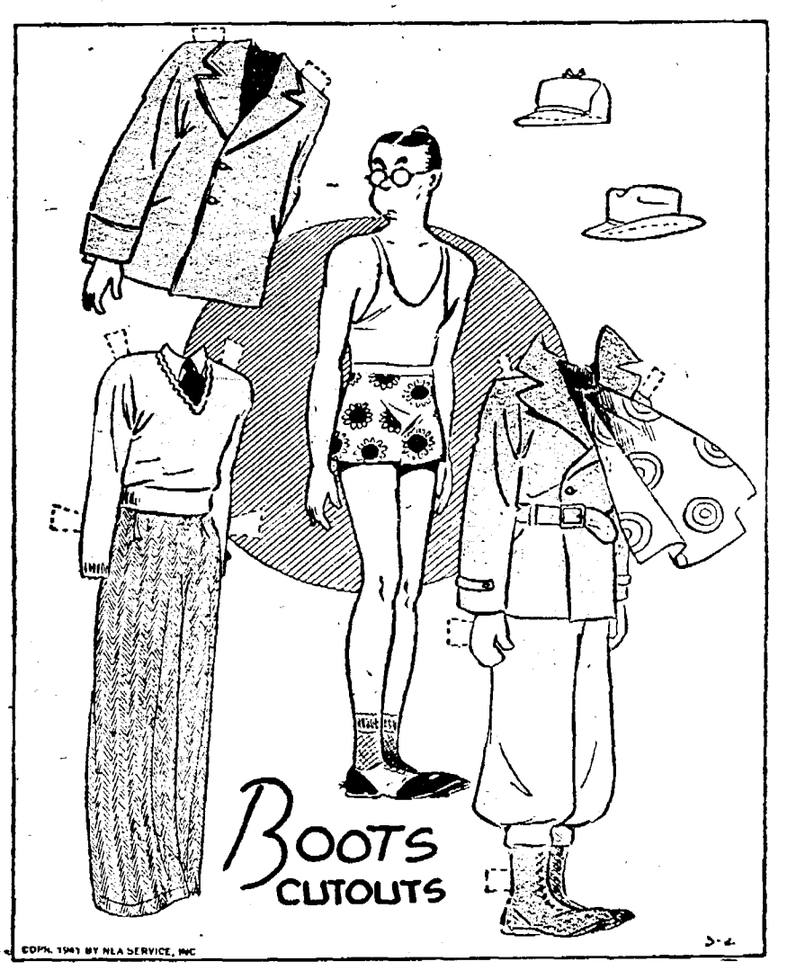

KREE MEE Your children will always ask for KREE Mee ICE CREAM and they can't get too much for their active, healthful young bodies. KREE MEE DOUBLE DIP CONES or 5c BUCKETS will please them. **Double Dip Cones**

Don Winslow of the NAVY

U.S.S. WINSLOW

WHAT? DUPLICATE OUR NEW ARMORED BOMBER AT A MOMENT'S NOTICE?

NO! NO! THIS BOMBER IS TO BE A FAKE - A SORT OF STAND-IN!

COMMANDER WINSLOW HAS CONVINCED ME THE REAL PLANE IS IN GREAT DANGER FROM SABOTAGE AND—

OH, NOW I GET THE IDEA!

- PRETTY SLICK SCHEME. WE'LL CALL OFF TRAINING SCHOOL FOR THE CADETS AND PUT THEM TO WORK ON IT IMMEDIATELY!

WAIT, CAPTAIN - WHERE WILL YOU HIDE THE REAL BOMBER?

IN A PATCH OF WOODS NOT FAR FROM THE STATION! WE NEED PRACTICE IN SUCH WARTIME CAMOUFLAGE ANYWAY!

LATER IN THE GREAT WORK SHOPS

THE CADETS ARE HAVING FUN OUT OF THIS, RED!

BOY! WHAT A SLAP-STICK PIECE OF JUNK! BUT IT LOOKS REAL, AT THAT!

IT MIGHT EVEN LIFT OFF THE GROUND - IT'S BUILT AROUND ONE OF CORRY FIELD'S OLD TRAINING PLANES!

AND THE WHOLE THING'S JUST A DECOY - A TARGET FOR ENEMY SABOTAGE!

RIGHT! I CAN'T WAIT TO SEE WHAT HAPPENS!

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ONE OF THE FLEET'S BIGGEST BATTLE PLANES, A **PATROL BOMBER** IT WEIGHS 35 TONS! SPEED 220 M.P.H. RANGE 5000 MILES!

WINSLOW STAMP

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BILLY the BOY ARTIST imitates LIP STICK

By Ed Payne

LORD CHUMPLEY HAS WAITED SO LONG THAT HE'S GONE TO SLEEP MISS MAUD!

I'LL BE DOWN SOON, MARIE!

LET ME SEE HOW MY NEW LIPSTICK LOOKS ON YOU!

OH, MISS MAUD!

HE IS ASLEEP, WAITING FOR YOUR SISTER, AND YOU MUSTN'T DISTURB HIM!

RED

POOR CLARENCE! I KEPT HIM WAITING SO LONG! I'LL STEP OVER AND WAKE HIM!

CLARENCE!

OH, MISS MAUD, I DIDN'T!

HOW DID THOSE LIPSTICK PRINTS GET ON YOUR FACE? YOU NEED NOT ANSWER I KNOW!

TOONERVILLE FOLKS

FLEM PRODDY, THE LOCAL INVENTOR

BY FONTAINE FOX

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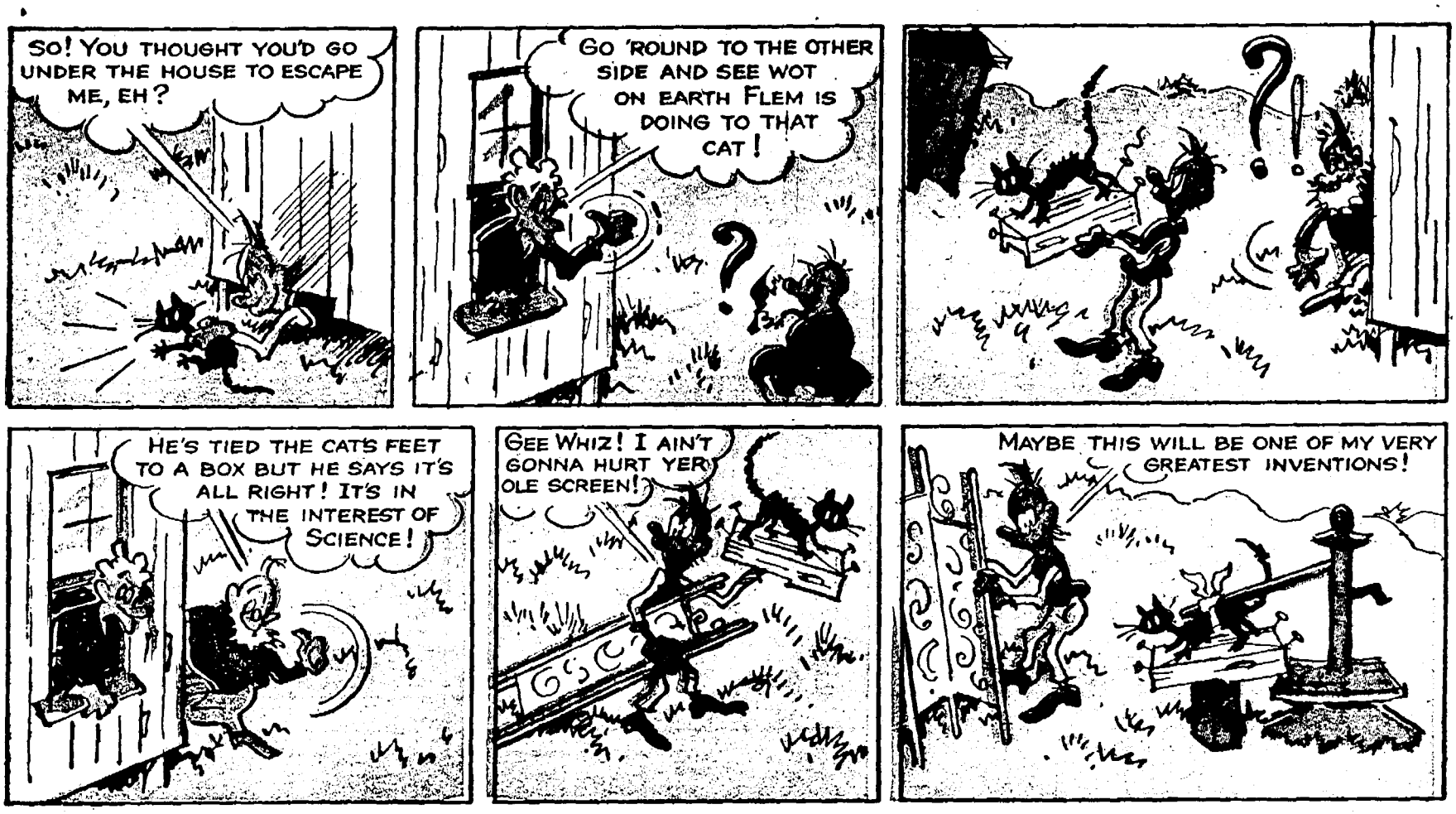

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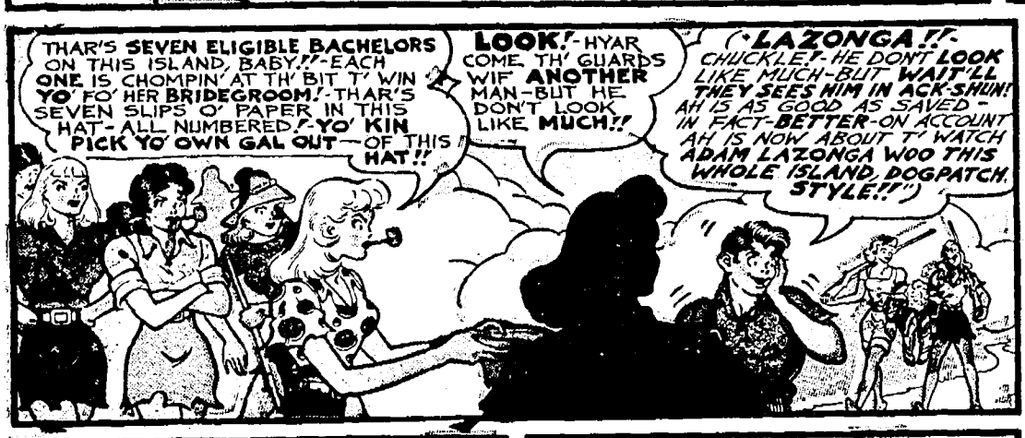
LI'L ABNER

by AL CAPP

Advice fo' Chillun

DON'T PLAY MEAN TRICKS ON APRIL FOOL, JUST BEAR IN MIND THE GOLDEN RULE . . . SENT IN BY ARLENE ANDREWS, BETHEL, CONN.



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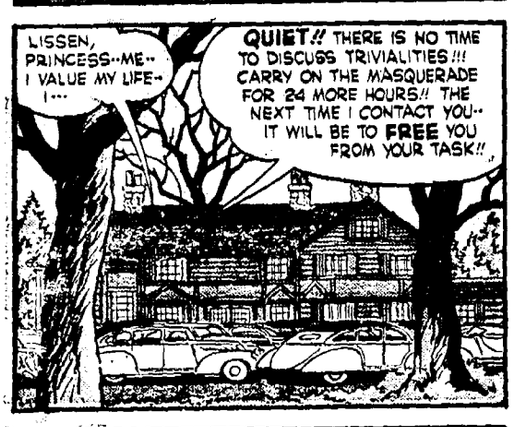

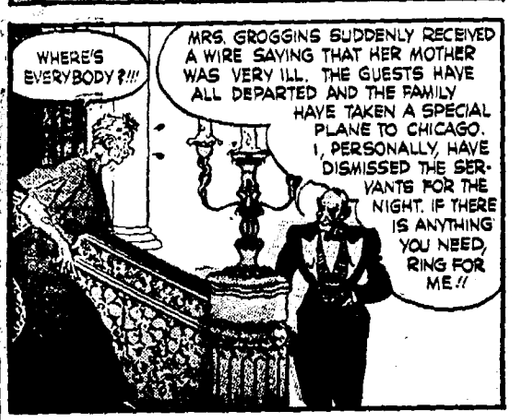

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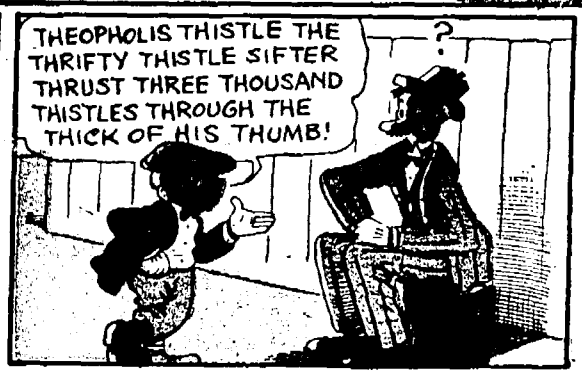

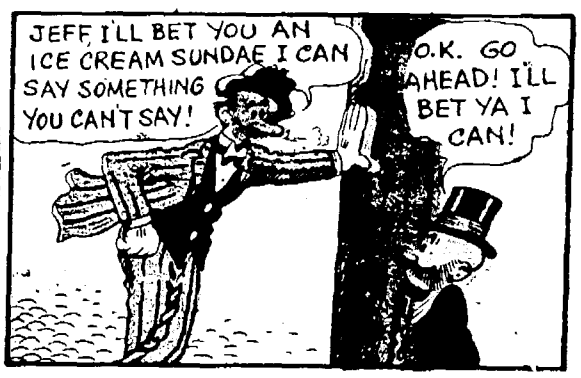

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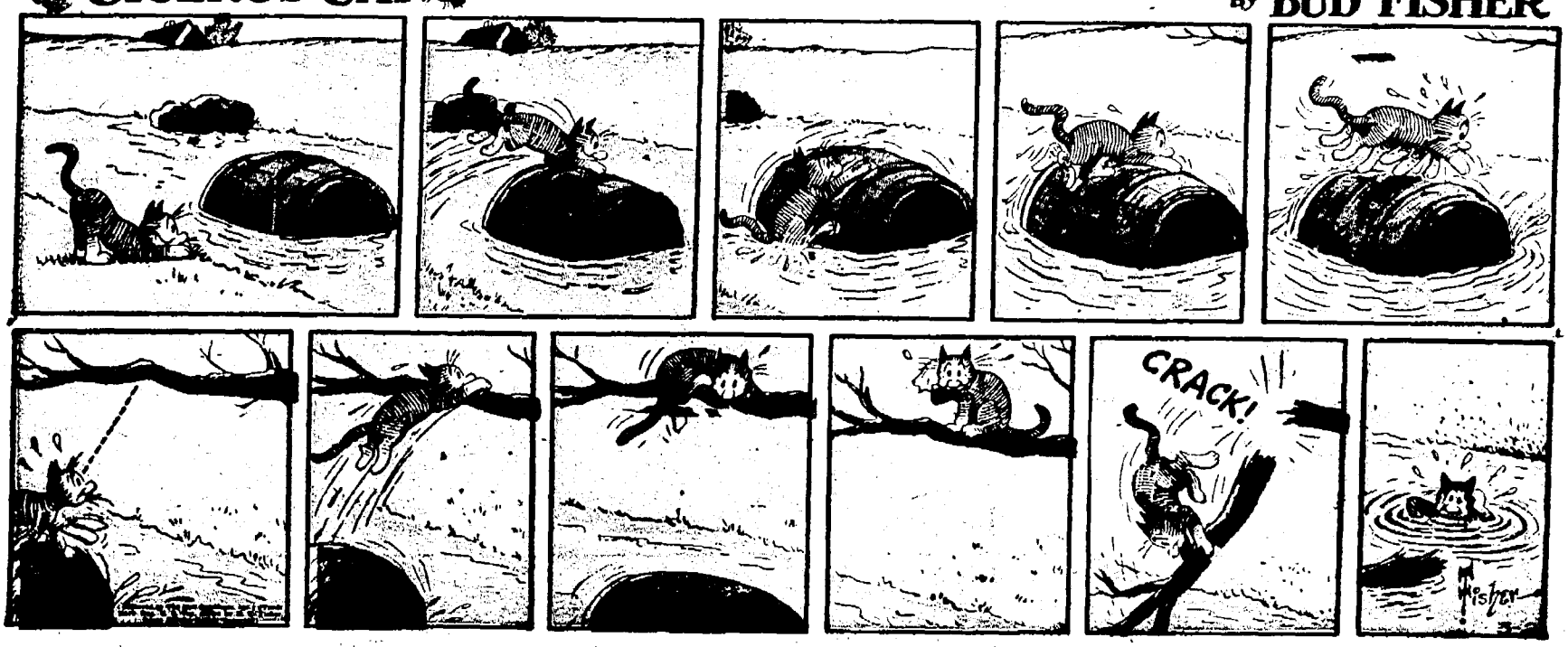

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Make Your Party a Success. Serve emptingly flavored Kree Mee

FLYIN' JENNY

BY- RUSSELL LEATON

SMARTING WITH INDIGNATION AFTER A MUCH-DESERVED SPANKING FROM JENNY, CYRIL SNEAKS ABOARD HIS PLANE AND —

WOW! THAT GUY'S JUST ONE REV AHEAD OF TH' AMBULANCE!

CYRIL! YOU POOR KID!

MOWING THE TOP FROM A TREE, CYRIL NOSES CRAZILY UPWARD —

I'M SCARED! FLYING SEEMED SO EASY WHEN I READ THAT BOOK!

BUT SUPPOSE THAT KID HITS YOU UP THERE, JENNY?

THAT'S THE CHANCE I'VE GOT TO TAKE!

USE RADIO

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—AND JENNY TAKES OFF IN AN ATTEMPT TO TALK CYRIL TO A SAFE LANDING!

NOW, CYRIL! START A GENTLE TURN TO YOUR RIGHT!

CHASER

JUST A LITTLE RUDDER AND AILERON! THEN BACK TO NEUTRAL!

Y-YES, JENNY!

NC1620

PULL BACK YOUR THROTTLE AND EASE THE WHEEL FORWARD! NOT TOO MUCH, CYRIL!

WE'RE GOING IN FOR A LANDING! NOTHING TO BE AFRAID OF! JUST KEEP YOUR NOSE STRAIGHT AND YOUR WINGS LEVEL!

I'M SCARED, JENNY! I'M SCARED!

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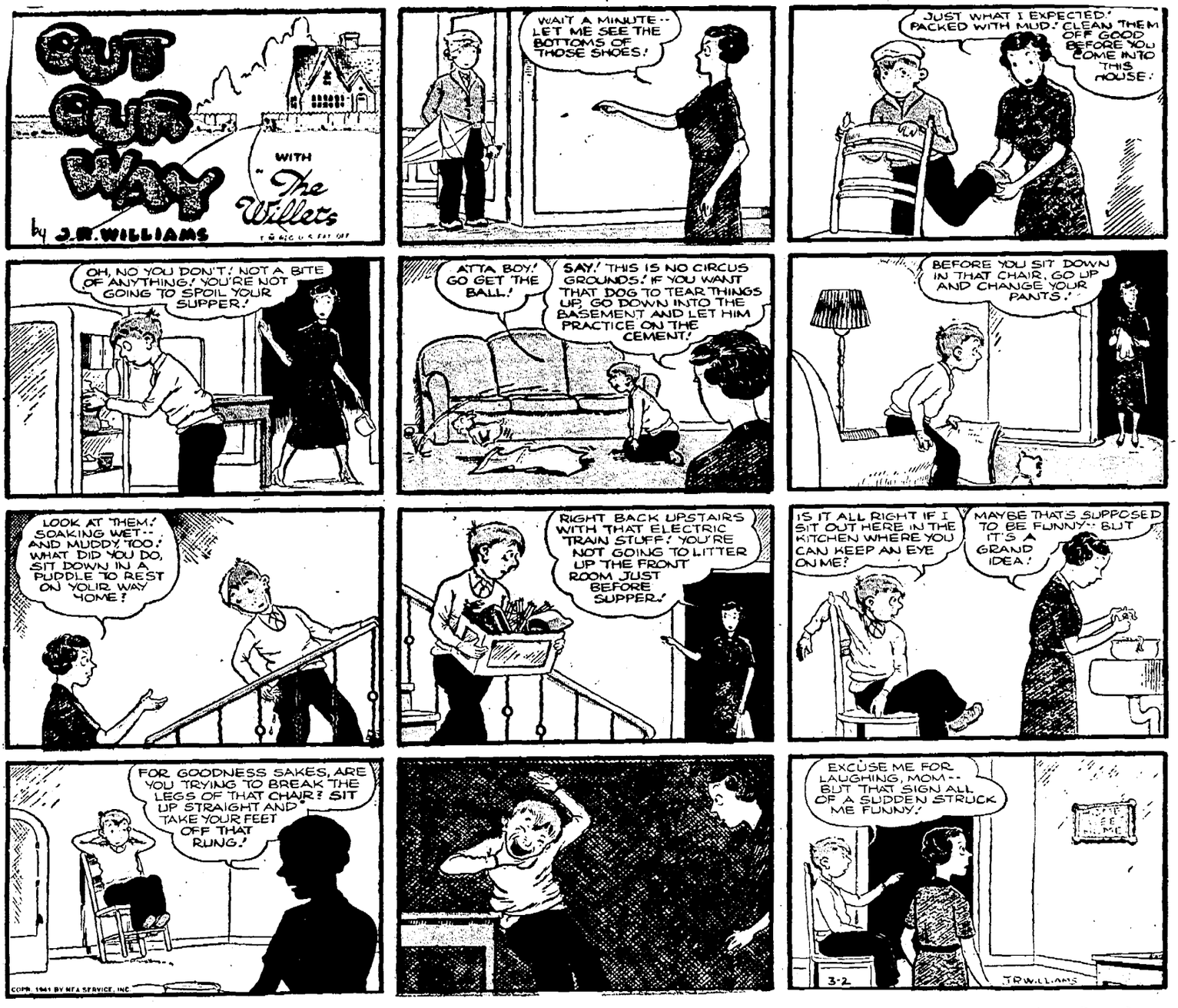
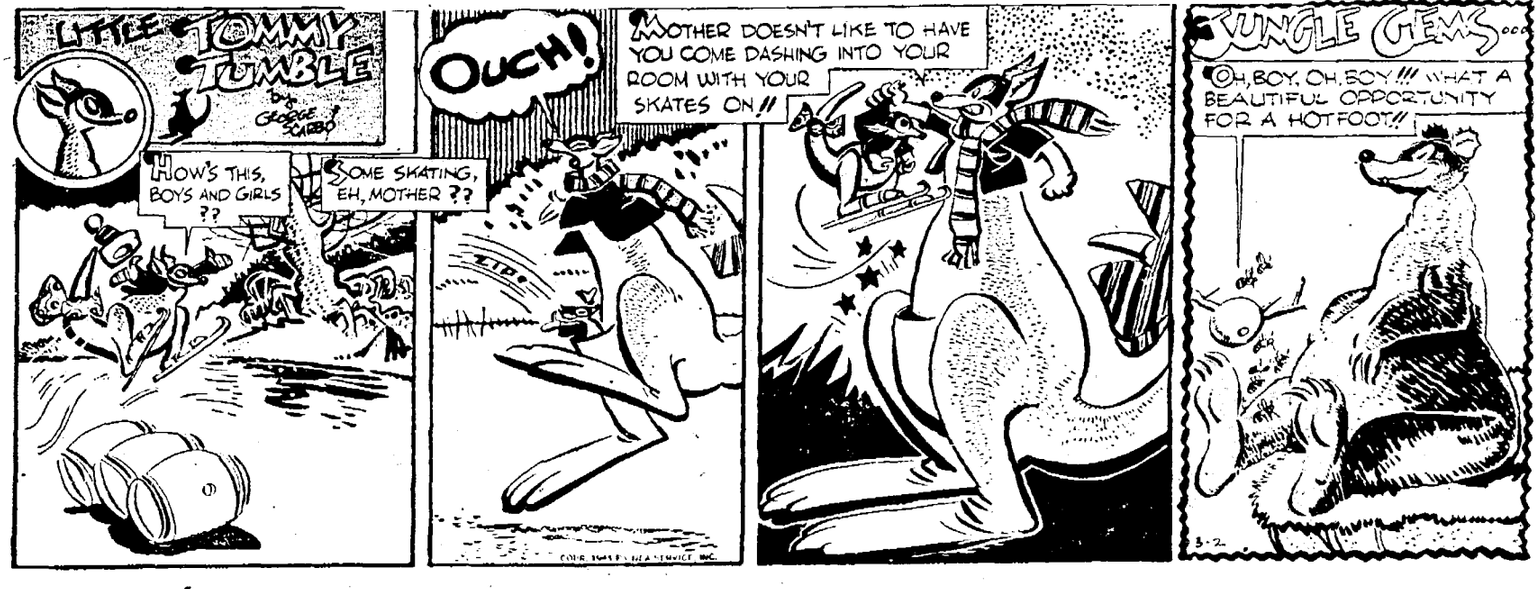


THE COMIC ZOO

By Scarbo



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FOR SOME, THERE'S NOTHING SO STIMULATING AS SPRING DOPE FROM THE BASEBALL CAMPS.

A CROCUS ON THE FROSTY LAWN WILL SEND MANY A MAN TO HIS OFFICE WITH A POEM ON HIS LIPS.

THE SONG OF THE FIRST ROBIN IS ENOUGH TO BOLSTER THE JADED SPIRITS OF SOME FOLKS.

A VASE OF PUSSY WILLOWS IS ALL IT TAKES TO START A NIMROD REPAIRING HIS TACKLE.

SUMMER VACATION LITERATURE WAFTS THE SMELL OF PINE NEEDLES AND OCEAN OZONE DEEP INTO THE LUNGS OF OTHER WINTER SURVIVORS.

EVEN THE HATS WOMEN WEAR IN SPRING ACT AS EYE OPENERS AFTER OUR LONG DREARY WINTER'S HIBERNATION.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

by Blosser

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SURE, I'M PATRIOTIC! WHY?

THEN MEET ME AFTER SCHOOL AT FOURTH AND OAK!

AN' LISTEN... BRING A SLEDGE HAMMER!

WHAT FOR?

WHISPER WHISPER WHISPER

NO FOOLING? OH, BOY---WE'LL TAKE CARE OF THAT!!

THAT'S WHAT I WAS TELLING YOU ABOUT....COUNT 'EM!

ONE--TWO--THREE--FOUR--FIVE!

THINK WE OUGHTA DO WHAT WE SAID?

SURE! THE NEWSPAPERS SAY IT'S OUR PATRIOTIC DUTY!

WHAT'S GOING ON OUT THERE, K.F.?

THUMP BAM BANG

DON'T ASK ME! LET'S GO OUT AND SEE!!

HEY, YOU BOYS---- STOP THAT THIS INSTANT!!

LIKE HECK WE WILL....NOT UNTIL WE'VE DESTROYED IT!!

WHY DON'T PEOPLE MAKE UP THEIR MINDS! FIRST THEY TELL US TO DO SOMETHIN'....THEN THEY BAWL US OUT FOR IT!

IF THAT AIN'T A FIFTH COLUMN, WHAT IS IT?

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THIMBLE THEATRE :-: Starring POPEYE

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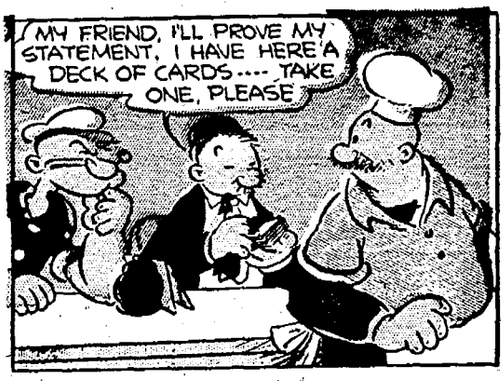

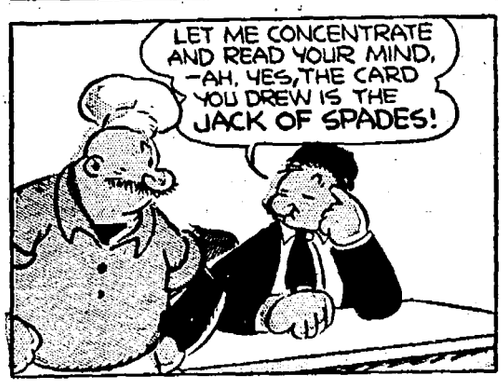

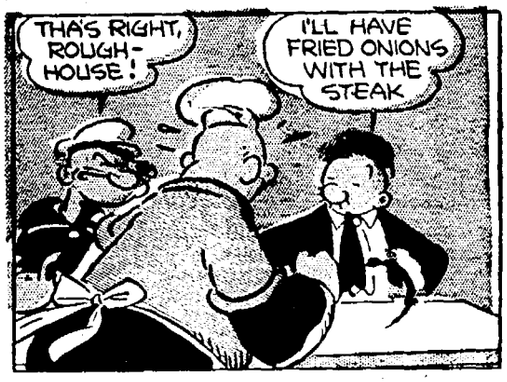

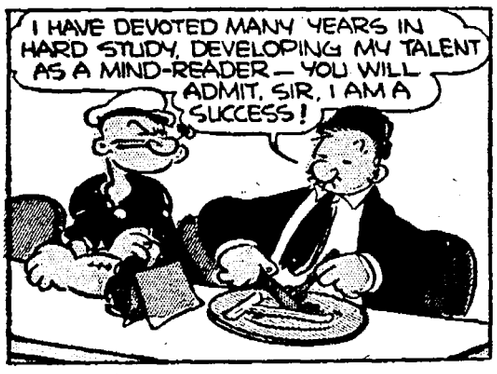

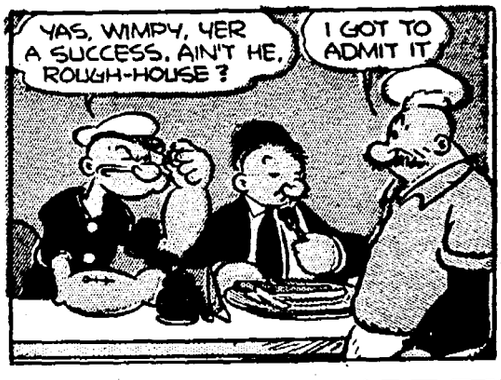

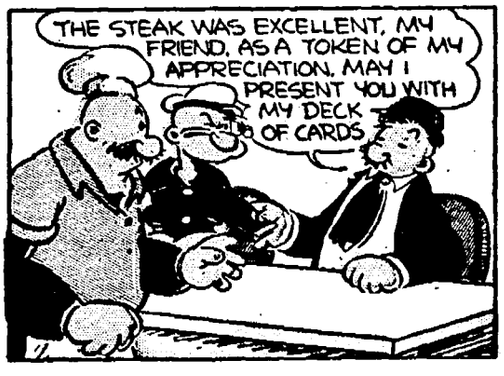

BIFF.. YOU MAY CALL THE GUESTS' NAMES AS THEY ENTER!

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CALL 'EM NAMES! GOSH! WON'T THAT MAKE 'EM SORE?

HEY, GRAN'PA BRAMBLE! I'M SORTA **STEPPIN' OUT** TONIGHT.. KIN I WEAR YER WHITE MUFFLER?

SORRY, BILL! I'D PLANNED TO WEAR IT **MYSELF**!

YOU'LL LOOK **GOOD ENOUGH** ANYHOW.. FOR THE PEOPLE **YOU'LL** PROBABLY MEET!

OH, YEAH! I'M GOIN' OVER ON **RITZMORE DRIVE**, IF YA WANTA KNOW!

GOOD! I'M HEADING TOWARD THAT PART OF TOWN MYSELF. GLAD TO SHARE MY TAXI WITH YOU!

MUCH OBLIGED! *(HE THINKS I'M* ***BLUFFIN'****!* *I'LL* ***SHOW*** *TH' OLD COOT!*

HERE WE ARE AT TH' HOME O' MRS. DE VANCY STERLING! THAT'S WHERE **I'M** GOIN' TONIGHT!

HMM! YOU **DO** MINGLE WITH THE TOP CRUST, DON'T YOU, BILL?

YEP! I AN' MISSUS STERLING HAS BEEN PALS FER A COON'S AGE! WELL.. I'LL SEE YA LATER!

I'M GLAD IT'S DARK, SO GRAMPS WON'T SEE ME GOIN' TO TH' **SERVANTS'** ENTRANCE! HE'LL SURE TREAT ME WITH **RESPECK** IN TH' FUTURE!

EVENIN', KITTY O'KAY!

EVENIN' TO **YOU**, BILL BIFF! AND IT'S MIGHTY HAPPY I AM TO **SEE** YE, AT THIS TIME!

AW! ARE YA REALLY GLAD I COME OVER?

YES! THE MISSUS HAS BEEN RINGIN' FOR **TEA**.. AND BANKS THE BUTLER SLIPPED OUT TO A **SHOW**!

HERE! PUT HIS COAT ON! THE MISSUS IS THAT **NEAR-SIGHTED** SHE'LL NIVER NOTICE! GO ON! BANKS WOULD DO THE SAME FOR **ME**!

WELL.. I RECKON..

DOGGONE! SOUNDS LIKE SHE HAD **COMPANY**! HOPE I DON'T **STUMBLE**...!

..JUST LIKE OLD TIMES AT PALM BEACH, ISN'T IT, MR. BRAMBLE?.. **BANKS**! WHAT ON EARTH...!

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FRENCH BOG INDO-CHINESE PEACE PLANS

Jap Ultimatum Still Is Ignored

By The Associated Press

TOKYO—(Sunday)—The failure of the French ambassador to keep a scheduled appointment with the Japanese foreign minister prolonged today the crisis in Japan's mediation between French Indo-China and Thailand, made more acute by an expired ultimatum.

Foreign Minister Yosuke Matsuoka waited at his residence for six hours, from 4 until 10 p.m., last night, for Ambassador Charles Arsene Henry to keep an appointment which authoritative quarters had hinted might end in acceptance of Japan's final terms.

No Conference

But the conference did not occur, and observers said they believed this development indicated a French hope of postponing a showdown.

It was presumed Ambassador Henry had received last-minute instructions from the government at Vichy which at least postponed his anticipated talk with Matsuoka.

Consequently Japan still was not officially informed of Vichy's final decision despite authoritative hints, widely displayed in the press, that the French had agreed to the basic terms of Japan's compromise proposal, made in an ultimatum which expired at midnight Friday, Tokyo time.

Japanese Wary

Observers believed the Japanese were hesitant to resort to the "forceful action" which they had hinted would be applied, so long as a peaceful settlement appeared at all possible.

3 JAPANESE WARSHIPS JOIN SAIGON FLEET

SAIGON, French Indo-China—(AP)—Three Japanese warships steamed close to shore Saturday off Cap St. Jacques, 40 miles south of this south Indo-China city and added to the nervousness of officials tormented by conflicting rumors of Japanese intentions.

Arrival of the warships was regarded by observers as partial confirmation at least of reports that 51 ships of the Japanese navy were on patrol in nearby waters.

Union 'Fishing' At Orange Steel Plant

ORANGE—(AP)—A group of 50 American Federation of Labor pickets Saturday "went fishing" at the Consolidated Steel Corporation of Texas in Orange.

Surrounding the plant when it opened Saturday, the pickets explained they were not striking, but were merely "on a fishing trip."

"We can't get a contract signed so we are fishing to get one," a picket explained.

QUAKES ROCK NORTH GREECE

Heavy Death Toll Is Expected

By The Associated Press

ATHENS, Greece—Violent earthquakes shook northern Greece early Saturday and every available report indicated casualties were heavy.

Larisa, a city of 30,000, urgently telephoned Athens for tents for 15,000 persons and, since the people there and elsewhere were abed when the disturbances began, it was feared many had died.

Troop detachments tore at wreckage to rescue the imprisoned. Many of the city's streets were filled with debris. Telephone and telegraph buildings were among those damaged.

MAGNETIC DISTURBANCES DELAY EUROPEAN CABLES

NEW YORK—(AP)—Magnetic and atmospheric disturbances Saturday completely suspended for a time all wireless and cable communications with Europe and erratically disrupted domestic communications.

Wireless contact between New York and Europe was unsatisfactory throughout the morning but cables, after a 30-minute mid-morning fadeout, continued to operate with frequent lapses and slow transmission. South American circuits were also affected.

Pappy Urges Texans To 'Eat More Meat'

AUSTIN—(AP)—While people of war-torn Europe faced food rationing, Texans in contrast Saturday were urged to eat more and more.

Proclaiming the week of March 3-8 as "Eat-More-Meat" week, Governor W. Lee O'Daniel cited the state's "boundless resources and unlimited products" in asking citizens to join in the observance.

March In Like A Lion

Wind Velocity In Valley Reaches 26 MPH

HARLINGEN—March "came in like a lion," and no mistake, with wind velocity recorded as high as 26 miles per hour at the Brownsville airport weather station, Saturday.

If the legend holds true that March will end its stay "quiet as a lamb" after coming in "like a lion," then the Valley can look for becalmed weather by the end of March.

However, the "lion" part of the deal will hold good for at least another day, U. S. weather bureaumen said Saturday night. The wind had dropped to 10 m.p.h. by 10 p.m. Saturday, with prediction Sunday would be considerably cloudy and probably as windy as Saturday.

Which means that the dust will continue to blow about as sprightly as if there had been no seven consecutive days of drizzling weather quite recently.

King Greets Winant

English Monarch Breaks Precedent To Meet New U. S. Envoy At Railroad Station

By The Associated Press

LONDON—King George VI swept stiff diplomatic formality aside Saturday and went halfway across England to greet the new United States ambassador to his court, John W. Winant, with a hearty handshake.

The meeting place was a windswept railroad platform between London and Bristol. Winant, the shaggy ex-governor of New Hampshire, landed at Bristol after flying across the Atlantic to his new post.

John C. Winant, new United States ambassador to England, arrived in London Saturday and staid conservatives were startled by King George's action in going halfway across his country to meet the new envoy.

With Winant came his assistant, Benjamin Cohen, and President James Bryant Conant of Harvard University, who is on a government mission to collect scientific information for American defense needs.

Spruce in the uniform of a field marshal, the king impulsively reached out and pumped first Winant's hand, then Cohen's.

"I am glad to welcome you," he said, warmly.

Having discarded protocol in seeking out the ambassador—the first time he ever had driven to the station to greet a new envoy—King George kept up the note of cordial informality by driving him home to tea with Queen Elizabeth.

The king's extraordinary gesture was regarded as reciprocation for President Roosevelt's reception of Lord Halifax, Britain's new ambassador to Washington last January 24, when Lord Halifax rode up Cheasapeake Bay aboard the British battleship King George V to take up his post. President Roosevelt drove to Annapolis and sailed out to the British battleship to greet the ambassador.

THOUSANDS AT TOT PARADE

20,000 See 4,500 Tots In Brownsville

(See Page 8 for Pictures)

BROWNSVILLE — Thousands of brilliantly costumed school children and their teachers transformed Brownsville into a scene of Pan American gaiety here Saturday afternoon for the fourth annual Charro Days children's parade, twice postponed because of bad weather.

Many more thousands jammed the line of march through downtown streets to witness the spectacle which saw Cameron county and Matamoros students combine forces in one of the biggest parades of its kind ever held here.

20,000 See Parade

According to John Fanning, chairman of the event, some 4500 children and teachers marched in the

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News Censor Means Is Flayed In House

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Minority members of the House expenditures committee, urging defeat of legislation to authorize an annual appropriation of $1,500,000 for the office of government reports, contended Saturday that the office would be a vehicle for imposition of censorship on news.

Wales Raid Defense Now Much Improved

LONDON—(AP)—Air Minister Sir Archibald Sinclair said Saturday Wales now is defended against German bombers by eight times as many anti-aircraft guns and 15 times as many balloons as there were eight months ago.

He said that Wales was "open and almost defenseless to attack" when the Germans obtained their French coastal bases in June.

Italy Warns Swiss

ROME—(AP)—The newspaper La Tribuna warned the Swiss Saturday again "provoking" Italians living in Switzerland with "insults" on the Italian army which it reported were heard in the canton of Neuchatel.

Glass Is Criticized For Request To FBI

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Senator Glass (D-Va) was criticized and defended in the Senate Saturday for asking the Federal Bureau of Investigation to check up on a group of women opposed to the British-aid bill.

Senator Clark (D-Mo), an opponent of the bill, declared that the "right of petition won't last long if Senator Glass asks the FBI to investigate every petitioner."

Aged Woman Dies

MT. PLEASANT—(AP)—Mrs. N. I. Brewer, who six years ago at the age of 95, remarked that she wanted to pass the century mark, died Saturday at the age of 101.

Business Better

Reserve Bank Issues Annual Review

DALLAS—(AP)—Continued improvement in Texas and southwestern business conditions was indicated in the Federal Reserve Bank's business review issued here Saturday.

Steadily soaring retail and wholesale sales and a favorable outlook for agriculture and livestock were reflected in the review for the eleventh district covering Texas, Southeast Oklahoma, southern half of New Mexico, northern half of Louisiana and Southeast Arizona.

The bank's index for department store sales rose from 116 per cent of the 1923-25 average in December to 126 per cent in January. Dollar value of sales in January was 14 per cent greater than a year earlier.

MERGING OF BRITISH, U.S. FLEETS HINTED

Lease-Lend Bill Foes Say FD Can Do It

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Foes of the lease lend bill insisted in the Senate Saturday that despite restrictive provisions President Roosevelt could "give" any portion of the navy to the British, and, moreover, could consolidate the American and British fleets.

With these statements, they coupled an attack on William C. Bullitt, former ambassador to France, for, they said, making propaganda speeches in this country, and for asserting in a recent address that the opponents of the bill were suffering from "political dementia praecox."

Raps Bullitt

"Of course, Mr. Bullitt ought to know," said Senator Wheeler (D-Mont). "I (he stressed the "I") have never been under observation. I have never been in a hospital for the treatment of nervous diseases. Those who have, of course, ought to know about political and other kinds of dementia praecox."

Wheeler took the floor at the outset of the session to continue a long prepared speech he began Friday. Several Senators, Lucas (D-Ill), Tunnell (D-Del), and Smaterhs (D-NJ), also had prepared speeches.

Administration leaders, concerned over the continued lengthy speech-making, talked among themselves, meanwhile, of longer sessions next week in an effort to speed a final vote.

Less than half the Senate seats were occupied, but the galleries were jammed.

Wheeler began by referring to argument which arose Friday, over the bill's provision that existing defense articles to a maximum value of $1,300,000 only could be transferred to Great Britain or other nations. He had contended that by placing arbitrary valuations on naval vessels Mr. Roosevelt could transfer as much of the fleet as he chose to England. Proponents of the bill, particularly, Chairman George of the Senate Foreign Relations committee, had replied that "value" was "value" and definitely limited the extent of such transfers.

Values Confusing

Returning to the argument, Wheeler read from the "corpus juris" a passage that said value was determined by many considerations. It could be market value, use value, sentimental value, or any one of several such things.

It was unfair to the president, he said, to give him the power involved without laying down, simultaneously, criteria for the interpretation of the word "value."

Senator Taft (R-Ohio) had brought up the question of consolidating the American and British fleets.

J. M. JETTON FATALLY SHOT

Ex-Hidalgo Jailer Dies At Corpus

CORPUS CHRISTI—(AP)—J. M. (Scotty) Jetton, 63, guard for a major oil company was killed and Phillip Trammell, 40, ranch hand, was wounded seriously in a mysterious shooting at Jetton's home Friday night.

The shooting was not discovered until Saturday.

Nueces and Kleberg county officers investigated.

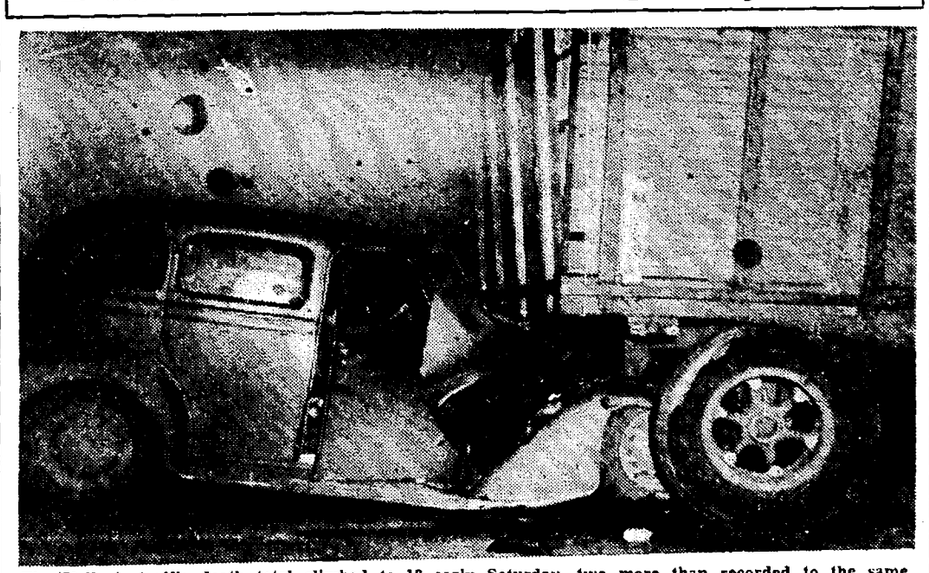
Jetton once was a deputy and jailer under the late Sheriff A. Y. Baker of Hidalgo county.

Funeral services will be held at the Kreidler Chapel at Edinburg at 4 p.m. Sunday, with Rev. E. P. Day, Presbyterian pastor there, officiating. Interment will be in the Edinburg cemetery.

US Takes Over Bases

HAMILTON, Bermuda—(AP)—The stars and stripes were hoisted over Tucker's and Morgan's islands by U. S. Marines Saturday in formally taking over sites of New American defense bases.

Death At Dawn On Highway 281



The Valley's traffic death total climbed to 13 early Saturday, two more than recorded to the same date in 1940, the section's record year for highway slaughter. In the picture above, the sedan driven by Herman F. Johns, 42, of Mission, is shown after it crashed into the rear of a parked truck, heavily laden with citrus. Johns' wife was killed instantly and Johns was seriously injured in the collision, which occurred about 5:30 a. m. Saturday some five miles north of Edinburg. (Photo by Brad Smith.) (See another picture on page 2.)

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TOURISTS SET FOR ROUNDUP

Harlingen Host To Valley Event

(See Picture on Page 2)

HARLINGEN—The Harlingen Tourist Club Round-Up, a day of pleasure for tourists all over the Valley, will be staged here Monday, beginning with a shuffleboard tournament at 10 a.m., Mrs. Walter Murray, Harlingen tourist hostess, announced here Saturday. Mrs. Frank G. Middleton of Casey, Ill., is general chairman for the Round-Up.

Following the shuffleboard tournament, lunch will be served at the Madison coffee shop, Mrs. Murray said, to be followed at 2 p.m., by 42, bridge and 500 tournaments.

Dinner-Dance Planned

The Round-Up, for which a large number of reservations have already been received from tourists all over the Valley, will be concluded with a diner dance in the Madison Hotel Green Room, beginning at 6:30 p.m. A diner hour program will also be given. The dance begins at 9 p.m., with the Tip O Texans furnishing the music. Prizes will be given the tournament winners with no entry fee charged.

The Round-Up, sponsored by the Harlingen Tourist Club, is being handled with the following committees in charge:

Shuffleboard: W. R. Johnson of Perry, Iowa; W. R. Broaddus of Blue Springs, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wilson of Ottawa, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gilliam of Waco, Texas.

Bridge committee: Mrs. C. W. Evans of Abbyville, Kan.; Mrs. George W. Hornsby of Evansville, Ind. The bridge tournament will be in charge of Mrs. R. R. Van Dusen of Evansville, Ind.

The 42 committee will be B. F. Bennett and G. C. Davis, both of Amarillo, Texas. Mrs. E. G. Wills of Springfield, Mo. will be in charge of the 500 tournament.

The refreshment committee includes Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Broaddus of Blue Springs, Mo.; Mrs. Norman L. Poland of Lewistown, Mont.; Mrs. Flora Black of Reinbeck, Iowa; and Mrs. Elizabeth Bidwell of Niles, Mich.

On the decorations committee are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Seedle of Havens, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Marshall of Wichita, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Langdon of Wilmette, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Cheeney of Winchendon, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith of Wankesha, Wis.; Miss Mary Jane Meisel of Ottawa, Iowa; and Floyd Ferris of Guttenberg, Iowa.

British Take 9,000

CAIRO, Egypt—(AP)—The capture of an aggregate thus far of 9,000 Fascist troops in Italian Somaliland and a further British thrust up the Juba to occupy Bardera, 190 miles from the river's mouth, was announced Saturday by British general headquarters.

Valley Woman Killed As Car Strikes Parked Truck

Mrs. Herman F. Johns, 36, Mission, Instantly Killed And Husband Critically Hurt

EDINBURG—Funeral services for Mrs. Herman F. Johns, 36, of Mission, who was killed about 5:30 a.m. Saturday when the car in which she was riding was in collision with a tractor-and-trailer truck north of here, will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday. The services will be conducted by Rev. A. T. Dyal of the Presbyterian Church at Mission, in the Kreidler Chapel in that city. Interment will be in the Mission cemetery under auspices of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. Johns was killed instantly, and her 42-year-old husband, who was driving was seriously injured, when their car crashed into the rear end of the big truck parked on the highway. Negligent homicide charge was filed against G. C. Shortes, 34, Robstown, owner and driver of truck. Johns was taken to County-City Hospital here in a Skinner ambulance, called by Dair Baldridge, Edinburg, who arrived at the scene an hour after the crash, on his way to San Antonio.

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Ross said the truck was loaded with citrus. Headed north, the driver left it on the pavement, set out flares and went back to Edinburg to get a wheel to replace one with a flat tire, Ross said. The Johns car, running into the rear of the parked truck, was telescoped, the car being wedged up to the windshield beneath the baseboard of the truck. Johns sustained severe chest injuries and bruises and lacerations about the head and body.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Johns is survived by three children, Mrs. Wallace Bohannon of Mission, Marjorie Johns and Herman F. Johns, Jr., of Mission; and her parents of Floresville.

Mrs. Johns was the 13th Valley traffic victim for 1941 and the fourth killed in less than a week.

Greeks Confident If Germany Aids Italy

BITOLJ, Yugoslavia—(AP)—The Greek army will be able to hold out even should Nazi troops aid Italy against the Grecks in Albania, Greek sources in this border city declared Saturday night.

With German forces one country nearer the Albanian battle front through occupation of Bulgaria, these sources maintained that the Nazi mechanized equipment was unsuitable for a quick offensive and that the terrain would prevent the mass employment of troops.

Storms Kill 23

Blizzards And Cold Sweep Nation

By The Associated Press

Towering snowpiles lined slippery highways in the middle Atlantic states Saturday night in the wake of a blizzard that took at least 23 lives and extended over 1,000-mile front. Clearing skies brought a forecast of continued cold weather.

Along the west coast, an extensive magnetic storm followed gales and torrential rains that struck simultaneously with the eastern snow storm, and disrupted wireless communications over the Pacific ocean.

Generally fair but unseasonably cold weather extended into the deep south, dropping the mercury to 44 at Miami, while the middlewest enjoyed balmy weather with temperatures as high as 62 in Nebraska and Iowa.

4 KILLED IN TRAIN CRASH

Oklahoma Crossing Scene Of Tragedy

CHELSEA, Okla.—(AP)—The Firefly, fast-traveling Frisco passenger train, struck an automobile at a downtown crossing Saturday, killing four of its occupants outright and sending another to a hospital with critical injuries.

The dead were Theodore Smart, 32, cattle farmer; his 16-year-old bride of three days; Billie Johnson, 6, and Montgomery Johnson, 4. Smart's mother, Mrs. W. I. Smart, 70, was reported at the point of death in a Vinita hospital.

Highway Patrolman Jack Rollins said Smart's car, a rattly sedan of 1929 vintage, was driven onto the tracks directly into the path of the Firefly, which was traveling between 65 and 70 miles an hour.

The collision, witnessed by several persons, hurled the old car 50 feet through the air, leaving its parts strewed up and down the right-of-way for a hundred yards.

The Smarts, who were married Wednesday, had come to Chelsea from Catale, six miles north of here, to do their Saturday shopping, friends reported. The two boys, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Johnson of Catale and grand children of Mrs. W. I. Smart, had come with them for the trip.

Two Are Injured In Crash Near Bridge

HARLINGEN—Ben Jordan and Miss Tullis Sacda, both of Harlingen, were treated at Valley Baptist Hospital Saturday night for injuries received when the car in which they were riding was in collision about 11:30 p.m. with a bus just south of the Arroyo bridge. They were brought to the hospital by K. A. Carson of Fort Brown, a passing motorist. Jordan was given emergency treatment for a slight head injury and dismissed, while Miss Sacda remained in the hospital overnight so that full extent of her injuries could be determined. She sustained a number of bruises.

Front ends of both car and bus were damaged. Another bus had to be sent out to tow the damaged vehicle.

In another accident, also occurring about 11:30 p.m. Saturday, a Harlingen Ice Co. truck was damaged at intersection of Buchanan Ave. and F Street in Harlingen. The driver told officers another truck ran into him, then was driven off rapidly.

Ex-Governor Dies

MADISONVILLE, Ky.—(AP)—Ruby Laffoon, who created thousands of "Kentucky colonels" while he was governor of Kentucky from 1931 to 1935, died at 2:50 a.m. (CST) Saturday after a long illness. He suffered a paralytic stroke last week.

BULGARIA IN AXIS, ORDERS 'BLACKOUTS'

Fears Retaliation From Britain

SKOPLJE, Yugoslavia—(AP)— Three Yugoslav pursuit planes forced down a three-engined German Junkers bomber which appeared over this city Saturday afternoon with a full bomb load.

"We thought we were over Sofia," said one of the six German non-commissioned officers who were seized and interned.

This city is 120 miles southwest of Sofia, the Bulgarian capital which the Germans occupied Saturday.

By The Associated Press

Fearing retaliatory British bombs, little Bulgaria was blacked out completely Saturday night and early Sunday after joining the Axis and allowing German troops to enter her country—the eleventh to be dominated by Germany in three years.

Bulgarian authorities also feared internal revolt against the Germans—as evidenced by the issuance of carbines to all policemen, the mobilization of the army on all frontiers, and the arrests of would-be agitators.

Frontiers Closed

More anti-aircraft batteries were mounted atop Sofia buildings, and frontiers were closed.

British Minister George Rendel scheduled a meeting with King Boris for Sunday possibly a prelude to a British break with Bulgaria. He already had warned Bulgaria against admitting German troops. British bombers based in Crete are only a few hours' flight from Sofia.

Nazi Foreign Minister Ribbentrop in welcoming Bulgaria into the Axis at ceremonies Saturday in Vienna said:

"The Axis armies are drawn up, ready for action, to grab and strike England wherever she shows herself. . . . The states represented here today are on watch and ready to make their contribution to the final triumph of our common cause."

May "Force Peace"

He also said he hoped the total weight of the Axis powers would bring Britain "to her senses" and forceher to seek peace.

General Bulgarian mobilization also sent Bulgarian troops marching to the Turkish frontier.

Nazi military occupation immediately raised grave questions as to the future of Greece in her war with Italy, of Turkey's future under her alliance with Britain, of the latter's attitude toward Bulgaria, and of Yugoslavia's ability to continue sitting on the fence as a strictly neutral nation.

In the west, the luftwaffe kept up its raids on London, striking at the

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FOUR YOUTHS HELD GUILTY

May Die For Attack On Aged Grocer

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)— Four sullen youths were convicted Saturday of beating an elderly grocer to death in a $53 robbery, and unless an appeal is successful they must stand execution by gas.

The verdict, with no recommendation for leniency, was returned by a jury of ten men and two women. There was no sign of nervousness on the faces of the four.

As they were handcuffed and led away, one turned to another and said "It seems that the boys and girls gave us the works."

The four were Delmar Arnold, 23; Brazen Hoyt, 22; Arthur Frazier, 22; and Silvio Tosi, 20. All except Tosi had prior convictions.

The victim of the brutal blackjack slaying last fall was David Ferrari. Several months later the gang was rounded up.

1941 Auto License Tags Now Permitted

HARLINGEN — None was noticed by observers here, but Saturday Texas motorists were for the first time permitted to attach their shiny new 1941 license plates to their automobiles.

All this month autoists can use the plates while from April 1 on, they must use them. The passenger car license tags this year are black with the numbers in gold. Commercial tags are the reverse, having black numbers on gold background.

Civic Music Drive Launched Monday

Jascha Heifetz Signed Up For Next Season; Symphony Slated Soon

HARLINGEN—The Rio Grande Valley Citrus Music Association will open its annual membership campaign over the Valley Monday, inaugurating the drive with a kick-off dinner at the Reese-Wilmond Hotel on Monday evening.

New members of the association will obtain free admission to the final concert of the current season, the presentation at Harlingen city auditorium March 27, of the 77-piece Houston Symphony Orchestra. (See picture on page 3).

Headquarters for the drive, for which chairmen have been named in every Valley city, will be in the Rio Grande National building here, with Mrs. Henry Carlisle, executive secretary, in charge of the office. Advance renewals of old memberships has been very good. Grafton Burdette, association president, reports.

Jascha Heifetz, regarded as the world's great violinist, will be presented during the Valley association's 1941 concert season, it was announced here Saturday.

Other artists for the five-concert series will be announced as definite bookings are arranged.

Season memberships will be sold only during the week of March 3-8, the association has announced. No single concert tickets will be sold Valleyites.

The association numbered approximately 1200 members for the current season. Higher number will be sought this season, with membership of 1800 the ultimate goal.

BULGARIA IN AXIS, ORDERS 'BLACKOUTS'

Fears Retaliation From British

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British capital three times after nightfall and raiding a south coast town.

Nazis In Sofia

By nightfall the Nazis had taken over the capital, Sofia, and the strategic Black Sea port of Varna; making it possible for the British to make good their threat of bombing troops and communications once Bulgaria was occupied.

The departure of the British minister, George W. Rendel, from Sofia was expected hourly. The legation waited for word from London as Nazi troops on foot and in road cars moved past the legation.

Rendel obtained an early evening audience with King Boris and was expected by members of his staff to notify the monarch that the Nazi occupation left Britain no choice but to break off relations with Bulgaria.

Signed In Vienna

The pact which put Bulgaria into the Axis alliance was signed in Belvedere Palace, Vienna, in a seven-minute ceremony witnessed by Hitler himself. Bulgaria's premier, Bogdan Philoff, signed for his country. Others present were German Foreign Minister Joachim Von Ribbentrop, Lieut. Gen. Hiroshi Oshima, Japanese ambassador to Germany, and Count Galeazzo Ciano, Italian foreign minister.

More Mental Cases Foreseen In U.S. As War, Draft Results

COLUMBIA, S. C. —(AP)— Apprehension over the selective service act and the "war scare" in general inevitably will cause more mentally-unstable individuals to be committed to hospitals, Supt. C. Fred Williams of the South Carolina Mental Hospital believes.

President of the American Psychiatric Association in 1933-34, Dr. Williams points out that "worry, anxiety and apprehension are partly responsibe for mental disorder," observing:

"I don't think there's any question but that the unstable individual gives way under stress and strain such as some would feel from the war scare.

"Many of the so-called shell-shocked men cracked under the strain of the first World War. They were what we call unstable."

Dr. Williams anticipates an increase next year at the hospital, explaining that in "good times" the institution is not called upon to take care of as many people as in "bad times" when stress and strain are greater.

Shortage Of Nurses Seen By Red Cross

DALLAS —(AP)— A shortage of graduate nurses and young physicians due to defense demands has resulted in a request by the American Red Cross that nursing schools increase their enrollment approximately 14 per cent, Alden B. Mills of Chicago, managing editor of the Modern Hospital Publishing Company, told members of the Texas Hospital Association Saturday.

Draft Finds Recruit With Perfect Teeth

WORCESTER, Mass.—(AP)—Mario Matos, 22, a Framingham foundry worker, made the doctors and army men at the Lamartine street induction center sit up and gaze with amazement Saturday—he had all his 32 teeth and every one was perfect.

Dr. A. A. Rafferty, dental examiner, said it was the first such case he had seen in 22 years of practice. Twelve properly placed teeth are all that are required to get by the induction board.

'Hunter's Home' Is Razed For Timbers

PORTLAND —(AP)— "Hunters' Home," a rooming house known to thousands of hunters from throughout the nation who have tried their sights at nearby Gum Hollow, is no more.

Erected in 1891 when Portland was laid out, it served as a business house for several years until Mrs. M. A. Smith remodeled it into a sportsman's hotel.

Mrs. May DeMouche, Mrs. Smith's daughter, is razing the building to provide lumber for other buildings.

Democratic Pullet

SHERMAN —(AP)— E. E. Johnson of Sherman has a pullet that's a died-in-the-feathers Democrat.

For a month before the election she laid an egg every day. Then when all loyal vote-her-straighters were balloting, she didn't function. But the next day she made up for lost time, laying an egg eight inches in circumference the long way and six inches the other way.

House Full Of Ice Greets New Yorker On Return Home

OGDENSBURG, N. Y.—(AP)—Away from the city all winter Frank Maloney returned to find his home turned into an ice house.

Someone had failed to turn off the water and his cellar was filled with 10 feet of ice, the parlor, kitchen and bedroom with four feet.

In addition, the doors were stuck tight and the house had been lifted several inches off its foundation by expansion of the ice.

Hidalgo Accident Victim

Mrs. Herman F. Johns, 36, of Mission, was unlucky 13 early Saturday, as the Valley's 1941 traffic toll continued to mount. Body of the well-known Mission matron is shown still slumped in the seat of her badly smashed sedan, after the car had crashed into the rear of a huge truck a few miles north of Edinburg. Some of the citrus from the loaded truck can be seen lying in the seat and on the running board of the sedan. (See related photo on page 1.)
(Photo by Brad Smith.)

SKIRT—Ballet-skirted Greek mountaineer soldiers such as this one proved fiercest fighters in war with Italians. He belongs to the evzone, a select corps in Greek army.

Castelrosso Island Regained By Italy From British Force

ROME—(AP)—The high command said Saturday that Italian reinforcements landed from torpedo boats, regained possession Friday of the island of Castelrosso from British who seized it Tuesday.

(The British announced in London Friday night that their forces had withdrawn from the island—one of the Dodecanese in the Eastern Mediterranean—after the troops "accomplished their object.")

Ex-Hardin-Simmons President Honored

ABILEN E—(AP)— A $300,000 campaign to honor the memory of Dr. J. D. Sandefer, former Hardin-Simmons University president, will be launched in the near future by the University and its ex-students.

General chairman of the campaign will be Dr. Fred C. Eastham, pastor of the First Baptist church in Wichita Falls, an ex-student. A building program, including a new library-auditorium and administrative offices, is planned as a major campaign objective.

MRS. JOHNSON BETTER

RAYMONDVILLE — Mrs. C. R. Johnson who underwent major surgery at the Edgewater Hospital in Chicago recently will be removed to her hotel this week.

Mrs. Jacqueline Parker, her sister, will remain with her through the six weeks necessary for her recuperation.

TO PRESENT PLAY

BROWNSVILLE—The senior class of Villa Maria school will present a play entitled "Sinister House," written by Tom Taggart, at the Brownsville junior college auditorium on April 30.

Briefly Told

GUESTS DEPART

SANTA ROSA—Mrs. Clarence Almoney, of White Hall, Md., Mrs. Martin Mundof of Broguerille, Penn., and Mrs. Etta Miller of Red Lion, Penn., Mr. and Mrs. John Marsteller, and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Marsteller, and their daughter, Patsy, of Red Lion, Penn., after two weeks visit with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Trout, left for their respective homes on Tuesday of this week.

SON IS VISITING

SAN JUAN—Lloyd M. Whitlock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd M. Whitlock, Stewart road, returned Friday morning from San Diego, Calif., having completed his four years in the U. S. Navy service. He intends to remain at home for 90 days, pending further plans in the service.

END VALLEY STAY

McALLEN—Miss Belle McNear of San Antonio and George Durkee of Omaha, Nebr., who have been visiting Mrs. A. J. McColl, left Saturday to return to their respective homes.

RINCON HEARING SET

HARLINGEN—Hearing has been set for March 11 by the State Railroad Commission, on field rules for the Rincon field in Starr county, according to Associated Press dispatch from Austin.

IS OPERATED

MISSION—Rev. E. R. McWilliams returned late Monday from Temple where he had been the past ten days with Mrs. McWilliams who was operated on there last week. Mrs. McWilliams is recovering rapidly and will be able to return possibly late next week, he reported.

SPENDS WEEKEND

PHARR—A. J. Flowers of San Antonio, spent the week end here visiting his wife and children, returning to San Antonio, late Sunday.

DISMISSED FROM HOSPITAL

LA VILLA—Mrs. John D. George who recently was removed from the Mercedes General Hospital, to her home is reported to be convalescing nicely from an operation.

VISITS PARENTS

PHARR—Miss Ella Beth Melton, student at A. and I. College at Kingsville, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley T. Melton.

CLUB WILL MEET

RANGERVILLE—The Booster's Club of Rangerville will hold their next meeting on Friday, March 7, at 8:00 p.m. The program will be in charge of Randell Arnold.

FROM WYOMING

SAN JUAN — Sheriff and Mrs. Harold DeWitt of Torrington, Wyoming, arrived Thursday for a visit in the home of Mrs. J. W. Cameron and Mrs. J. T. Burton.

MOTHER, SON RETURN

SNTA ROSA—Mrs. H. M. Little and son, Milton, who have been visiting relatives in Weimar, Columbus, La Grange and Floresville have returned home.

WHITAKERS RETURN

PHARR — Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Whitaker returned Wednesday to make their home, following several months stay in San Antonio and Corpus Christi.

NEW MANAGER

ALAMO—Mrs. Ralph Tolles has taken over the management of the cafeteria at the Alamo grammar school starting this week.

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MUSICIAN OF NOTE VISITS

Carlos Chavez Pauses In Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE—Carlos Chavez, internationally famous composer, for some years director of the National Symphony Orchestra of Mexico, will pass through Brownsville by plane Sunday en route to New York where he has engagements as guest director of the best known symphony orchestras in this country.

Mr. Chavez, who is also an author of a number of books on music, is a brother of Engineer Eduardo Chavez of Matamoros, who is in charge of the flood control and irrigation works now being built along the border by Mexican government.

Guest Conductor

The famous musician will spend about two months in the United States as guest conductor of a number of famous orchestras, including the New York Philharmonic, the Philadelphia Symphony, the Chicago orchestra and several others, during the current season.

Mr. Chavez last year was guest conductor of the Philadelphia Symphony and won the highest praise of American critics as well as of the famed director of the Philadelphia orchestra, Leopoldo Stokowski. He has also conducted some of the most important symphony orchestras in Europe.

Following his tour in the United States, Mr. Chavez will leave for South America where he will appear as guest director of the leading orchestras on that continent.

As head of the National Symphony of Mexico, Mr. Chavez has built up an organization which is ranked among the best by critics everywhere. He has brought a number of world-famous conductors to the Mexican capital, as well as some of the best known soloists to perform with his orchestra.

Pioneer In Music

Mr. Chavez was for some time head of the fine arts department of the Federal Department of Education in Mexico and during that time laid the groundwork for important activities in the fields of music, the drama and the dance.

Several of his symphonies and ballet compositions have been performed by the leading orchestras in the United States, and he ranks as No. 1 among Mexican composers and one of the major creative music writers in the Western Hemisphere.

Mr. Chavez' work in the field of music is comparable in some respects to that of Diego Rivera in painting, particularly in his utilization of the native themes and Mexican background for his work.

One of the important activities of the Symphony Orchestra of Mexico has been to stimulate interest in good music and to acquaint the public with the world-famed classics in concerts performed without cost for audiences of labor union members and their families.

Medical Researches Find Heart Wounds Not Always Killing

WASHINGTON —(AP)— A wounded heart is not always fatal.

In a report in the journal of the District of Columbia medical society, Dr. I. A. Bigger, professor of surgery at the Medical College of Virginia, Richmond, reports that the lives of 17 out of 26 persons with stab wounds directly into the heart had been saved by prompt medical and surgical attention.

The heart is practically the toughest of human muscles, he declared, and even if it is badly cut or punctured by a bullet it will often keep beating while a clot forms to stop the flow of blood. If such cases are properly diagnosed and treated according to the severity of the injury many, if not a majority, can be saved.

Refuse Dump Blooms

NEW YORK —(AP)— Riker's Island, once called the largest refuse dump in the United States, is to become a garden spot. The New York park department has taken over a 50-acre tract for a tree nursery and expects it to yield 25,000 trees annually. Work is being done by short-term inmates of the Riker's Island prison.

G. H. PERKINS GOES

BROWNSVILLE—George H. Perkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Perkins of this city, left this week to join United States army forces in San Antonio.

He is 19 years of age and volunteered for three years' service with the U. S. army in the Philippine Islands.

RETURN TO HOUSTON

RAYMONDVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holloway left for their home in Houston after a brief visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Holloway.

Frank Holloway is announcer over KXYZ in Houston.

ON BUSINESS TRIP

DONNA—Walter G. Weaver and Walter G. Weaver, Jr., spent Wednesday and Thursday upstate on legal business.

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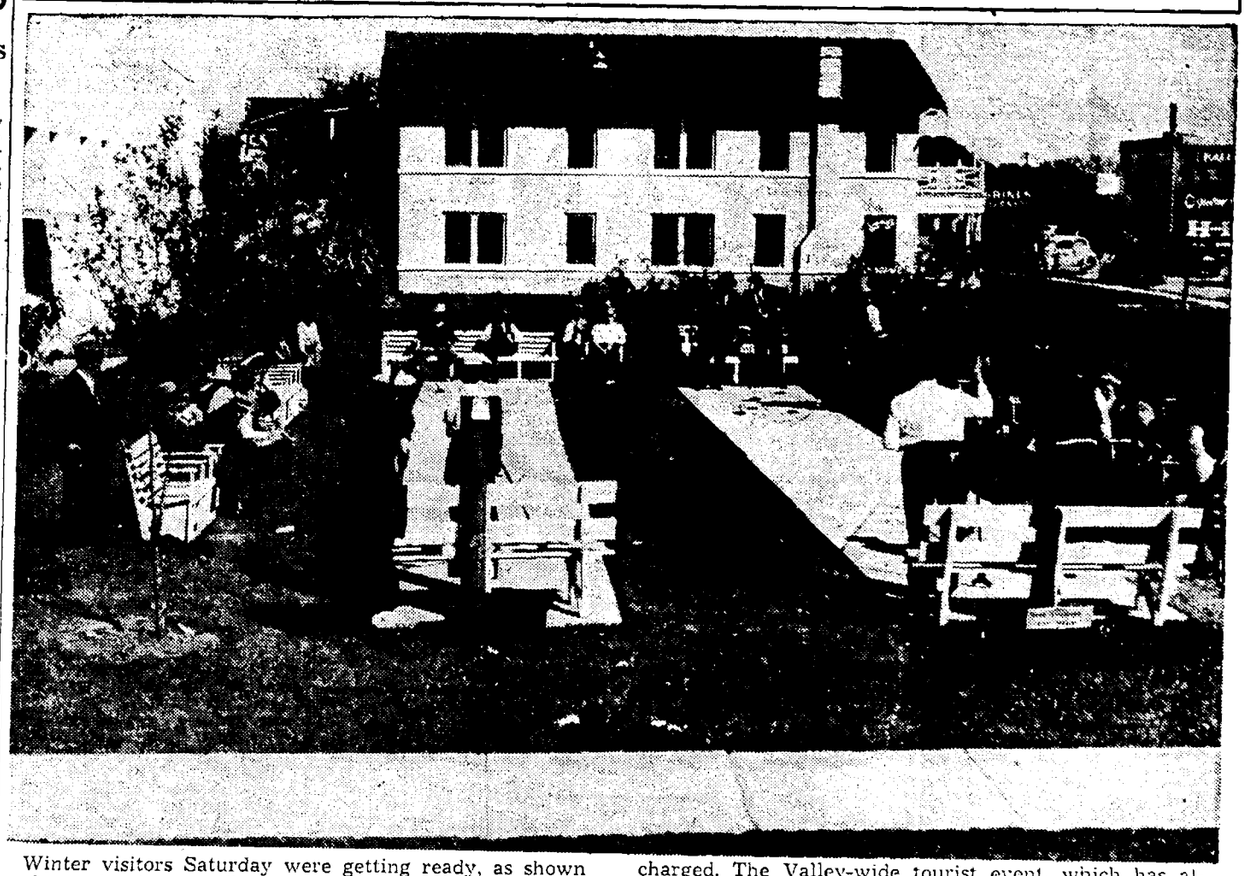

Winter visitors Saturday were getting ready, as shown above, for the shuffleboard tournament which will be a feature of Monday's big Tourist Round-Up, to be staged in Harlingen. The shuffleboard event will start the day's activities at 10 a. m. Monday, prizes being offered in each type of competition. No entry fee is charged. The Valley-wide tourist event, which has already drawn many reservation, is being sponsored by the Harlingen Tourist Club. Other events include 42, bridge, and 500 tournaments, with the day of fun being concluded with a dinner dance at the Madison Hotel. (Staff Photo.)

OBITUARY

MRS VIOLETTE DALTON

LA FERIA — Last rites will be held at the First Presbyterian church here Sunday at 3 p.m. for Mrs. Violette Dalton, 27, wife of Roger E. Dalton, who died Friday at 6 p.m. after a considerable illness.

Rev. Fred Hopkins, Presbyterian pastor, will officiate at the services. Burial will be at Mont Meta Burial Park, San Benito, under direction of Stotler-Burdette, Harlingen. Pall-Bearers will include Robert Beattie, Roland Post, Phil Murray, J. B. Smith, C. D. Ritter and Tom W. Starkey.

The body will lie in state at the church from 2 to 3 p.m.

Surviving are the husband; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Spies, La Feria; a brother, Robert V. Spies, La Feria; and a sister, Mrs. Jay Yost, San Benito.

A. E. BROOKS

SAN BENITO—Funeral services for A. E. Brooks, 72, a farmer on the San Benito tract for over 20 years, who died at his home Thursday night, will be held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the Clay Hall chapel here. Dr. Hugh Robertson, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, will officiate. Interment will be in Mont Meta cemetery.

Survivors include the wife; one sister, Mrs. J. W. Harrison of Seguin; and one brother, Dr. W. R. Brooks of Colfax, Wis.

Pallbearers will be Jim Francis, Roy Broson, Nat Brooks, R. C. Clark, Neely Newman and J. F. Mayfield.

Colorado Town Has No 'Potter's Field'

PUEBLO, Colo. —(AP)— There is no "Potter's field," traditional burial place for paupers, in Pueblo. City officials decided long ago that anyone who died here was entitled to "a good burial." Even transients who meet death beneath train wheels are buried in a purchased plot in a cemetery with a ceremony equal to those used in services which cost several hundred dollars.

RETURN FROM TRIP

RAYMONDVILLE — C. D. Gilland and C. E. Croswell returned Tuesday night from a business trip to Houston.

'American Peace' Is Subpoenaed By Dies For Quizz Tuesday

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Chairman Dies (D-Tex) of the House committee investigating un-American activities said Saturday that records of American Peace Mobilization, Inc., had been subpoenaed for a hearing Tuesday.

"We want to know," Dies said, "where they are getting their funds, and we want to know something of their membership."

He said one subpoena was issued to Mrs. Sarah V. Montgomery, secretary of the Washington chapter, and another had been issued recently for the records of the organization's Chicago chapter.

U. S. D. A. Laboratory Is Damaged By Fire

NEW ORLEANS —(AP)— Fire of undetermined origin Saturday extensively damaged the $1,500,000 Third (Southern) Regional Laboratory of the United States Department of Agriculture here but no immediate estimate of the loss could be obtained.

The fire was discovered at an early hour by a newsboy delivering the morning paper.

How 'Hoppin' John' Received Its Name

WASHINGTON, N. C. —(AP)—This being the season for "Hoppin John" the story is again being told of how the dish of hog jowl, peas and rice received its name. It seems that a sea captain in South Carolina had a fellow captain—named John—from North Carolina as a dinner guest. When hog jowl, peas and rice were set before the Tar Heel, his host remarked, "I don't know what it is but, hop in, John." It has been "Hoppin John" ever since.

Tenant Asks Court Who's His Landlord

HAVRE DE GRACE, Md. —(AP)—Curtis Kroh is running up a nice bank account, because he doesn't know who should get his rent money.

He went to court to learn whether he should pay it to three heirs of his late landlord, or to two other claimants of the landlord's estate. The case went to the appeals court, which remanded it for further hearings.

TIDE TABLE

In the following table is given the time under normal and ordinary meteorological conditions of high and low tides in the Pass and along the immediate coast during March, 1941.

	High Tides	Low Tides
March 2	6:10 a.m.	11:57 a.m.
	5:39 p.m.	
March 3	7:14 a.m.	12:21 a.m.
	5:57 p.m.	12:43 p.m.
March 4	8:47 a.m.	1:35 a.m.
	6:11 p.m.	1:44 p.m.
March 5	10:37 a.m.	2:15 a.m.
March 6	11:57 a.m.	3:17 a.m.
March 7	12:46 p.m.	4:20 a.m.
March 8	1:23 p.m.	5:21 a.m.
March 9	1:55 p.m.	6:17 a.m.
	11:42 p.m.	7:40 p.m.
March 10	2:25 p.m.	7:05 a.m.
		7:54 p.m.
March 11	12:47 a.m.	7:52 a.m.
	2:53 p.m.	8:18 p.m.
March 12	1:47 a.m.	8:36 a.m.
	3:25 p.m.	8:48 p.m.
March 13	2:47 a.m.	9:21 a.m.
	3:46 p.m.	9:25 p.m.
March 14	3:49 a.m.	10:07 a.m.
	4:12 p.m.	10:07 p.m.
March 15	4:30 a.m.	10:58 a.m.
	4:38 p.m.	10:55 p.m.
March 16	5:53 a.m.	11:54 a.m.
	5:05 p.m.	11:51 p.m.
March 17	7:04 a.m.	1:00 p.m.
	5:32 p.m.	
March 18	8:33 a.m.	12:53 a.m.
	6:00 p.m.	2:22 p.m.
March 19	10:15 a.m.	2:00 a.m.
March 20	11:38 a.m.	3:13 a.m.
March 21	12:36 p.m.	4:30 a.m.
March 22	1:20 p.m.	5:46 a.m.
	11:29 p.m.	7:37 p.m.
March 23	1:55 p.m.	6:51 a.m.
		8:00 p.m.
March 24	12:36 a.m.	7:42 a.m.
	2:23 p.m.	8:20 p.m.
March 25	1:34 a.m.	8:26 a.m.
	2:42 p.m.	8:40 p.m.
March 26	2:26 a.m.	9:03 a.m.
	3:02 p.m.	9:00 p.m.
March 27	3:14 a.m.	9:35 a.m.
	3:21 p.m.	9:21 p.m.
March 28	3:58 a.m.	10:08 a.m.
	3:40 p.m.	9:47 p.m.
March 29	4:41 a.m.	10:40 a.m.
	4:00 p.m.	10:15 p.m.
March 30	5:25 a.m.	11:15 a.m.
	4:19 p.m.	10:49 p.m.
March 31	6:10 a.m.	12:00 noon
	4:35 p.m.	11:28 p.m.

If 130 odd people are laid end to end, it is a normal United States motorists' week-end.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

Texas Flier Killed In Crash On Coast

SAN DIEGO, Calif.—(AP)—James Elmore Spillman, 23, army air corps cadet flier from Lancaster, Tex., was killed Friday in the crash of a training plane he was piloting.

Spillman's instructor, William E. Clark, a civilian, parachuted to safety from the plane after it went into a spin. Clark said that he gave Spillman instructions to jump, but that the student evidently was unable to leave the cockpit in time.

G. E. Hires 16,000

SCHENECTADY, N. Y. — (AP) — Defense contracts totalling $350,000,000 have given employment in General Electric Company plants to 16,000 new workers in the past six months, a company official said Saturday.

RETURNS FROM TRIP

SAN JUAN—H. D. Munal returned Friday from a business trip to Del Rio.

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SOUPS
Cream of Chicken a la Reine Consomme Royale
ENTREES
Individual Smoked Herring, Anchovie Butter
Grilled Deep Sea Snapper Steak, Hoteliere
Roast Prime Ribs of U. S. Choice Beef, au Jus
Roast Young Turkey, Special Dressing, Cranberries
Grilled Fancy Lamb Chops on Toast, Mint Jelly
K. C. Choice Beef Steak a la Minute, Sizzling
Creamed Diced Chicken, Mushrooms, Newberg
Omelette with Fresh Strawberries, Glace
Baked Sugar Cured Ham, Champagne Sauce
VEGETABLES
Green Asparagus Hollandaise Long John Beans Savory
Cabaret, Creamed New, Fried Sweets or Idaho Baked Potato
Biltmore Salad
DESSERTS
Pineapple Cream Layer Cake, Apple
Cherry, Blueberry or Egg Nog Pie with Whipped Cream
Fruit Jello, Cup Custard, Preserved Figs, Green Gage Plums
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TOURS, OTHER EVENTS READY FOR TOURISTS

Fishing Trips Planned From Upper Valley

McALLEN—Fishing excursions, a Rubinoff violin concert and Hobby Club tours will be enjoyed this week by tourists in McAllen and surrounding territory.

Monday the advanced Spanish class meets at 9 a.m. At 10 a.m., shuffleboard players will play in a tourist round-up contest at Harlingen and at 1 p.m., the bridge and domino players will enter the competition in the tourists club room in the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel. At 2 p.m., Mrs. C. D. Baker, program chairman, has announced a tour to Pharr to view a butterfly collection; 4 p.m., conducted tour to Reynosa with a wild game dinner. Tuesday at 9 a.m., meeting of the beginners Spanish club and at 2 p.m. the regular game party in the club room.

Wednesday offers a new boat trip up the Brownsville channel with lunch at the Brownsville Yacht Club, and fishing during the afternoon. Registrations must be made by Monday at 5 p.m. There will be games in the club room all day. Rubinoff and his violin will be at the junior high school auditorium at 8 p.m. under Kiwanis Club auspices.

Thursday the advanced Spanish class in the club room at 9 a.m.; games in the club room in the afternoon, will meet 7:30, the regular tourist party with a dance review for the entertainment; Friday, regular Spanish class at 9 a.m. and games in the afternoon.

Saturday at 1 p.m., there will be a tour of the Upper Valley.

CELAYA GIVES HOUSE BILLS

Seven Parks Acts Go To Legislature

BROWNSVILLE—Seven bills designed to greatly stimulate creation of new state parks have been introduced in the Legislature at Austin by State Rep. Augustine Celaya, Brownsville.

The bills are aimed at giving the state park board specific control of operation and regulation of the parks, to purchase park sites, to protect park preserves, and to operate concessions such as restaurants and refreshment stands.

Representative Celaya also introduced a measure, on request of the State Department of Agriculture, defining commercial quantities of sweet potatoes as being 400 pounds or more.

Following are th state park bills:

680. Empowering state parks board to purchase park sites.

681. Empowering state parks board to acquire for park purposes areas within conservation districts

682. Requiring consent of caretaker before taking fish from waters of any public park controlled by state parks board.

683. Prohibiting molesting of wild life on state parks.

684. Establishing a twenty-mile speed limit in state parks.

685. Prohibiting sale or consumption of alcoholic beverages in state parks.

686. Granting state parks board right to operate concessions on park sites.

Russia Protests

Propaganda Seized By Postal Men?

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Soviet Russia has lodged a protest with the State Department against seizure of mail from Russia allegedly containing Soviet propaganda.

State Department officials said Saturday the protest came from Constantine Oumansky, the Soviet ambassador, in recent conferences with Undersecretary Sumner Welles. No details were made public.

Postmaster-General Walker announced February 21 that more than 75,000 pieces of foreign propaganda mail had been seized by postal authorities during the past two months, most of which originated in Russia and Germany.

Fishing Champion Returns To Home

BROWNSVILLE—G. S. Perkins, champion bass catcher of Ellis county, left this week with Mrs. Perkins for their home in Ennis, Tex., after spending a week here with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Perkins.

Mr. Perkins caught a 7 1-2-pound bass, the largest of the season, in Ellis county, and intended to try salt water angling at Brownsville ship channel, but was thwarted by unfavorable weather. He expressed his intention of returning later this year for the sport.

Auto Tags Drain On Some Folks' Wallets

NEW BRITAIN, Conn. —(AP)— Some folks must have spent their last cent obtaining 1941 automobile registrations.

Three purses were found in the motor vehicles department office here after the last day rush ended, all empty.

Randolph Man Killed

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Graduation from Randolph field but a half month away, Flying Cadet R. Reed, 24, of San Bernardino, Calif., crashed to his death in his basic training plane near here Friday night.

Houston Symphony Orchestra Last On Civic Music List For 1941

Pictured above is the 77-piece Houston Symphony Orchestra, which will be presented in concert at the Harlingen municipal auditorium on March 27. The concert will be the last for the season sponsored by the Valley Civic Music Association, which Monday begins one-week membership campaign for the 1941 concert season. The orchestra, in addition to its evening concert here, will present a special matinee concert March 27 for Valley school band members.

ARMY TO GET FIRST ROADS

Texas Counties Get No Encouragement

AUSTIN —(AP)— With military roads holding first draw on the state's highway funds, delegations seeking road improvements got little encouragement from the State Highway Commission at the monthly hearing Saturday.

Representatives from four counties appeared with requests, and each heard in reply "shortage of funds," but were assured all applications would receive full consideration.

Explaining all federal aid must be used for strategic highways in the military network, Chairman Brady Gentry said many road improvements now badly needed would probably not "even get started for 15 years."

Widening and paving of State Highway 36 in Rosenberg was asked by a Fort Bend county delegation. Representatives of Wichita and Clay counties requested designation and construction of a road from Wichita Falls to Charlie and Byers.

WPA Worker With $4 In His Pocket Begins Long Search Afoot For His Unknown Parents In Wintry West

JOHNSTOWN Pa. —(AP)—Fortified by his capital of $4 and a boast that "I'm used to knocking around," a young WPA worker said Saturday he would start Monday on a 1,500 mile hitchhiking trip through the wintry middlewest—on another lap of his search for the parents he has never known.

"And if I don't succeed I'll go farther — anywhere," declared John Sandor, Jr., 26. "Maybe I'll go hungry, but that's nothing. I'll never quit."

Sandor bears the name of the foster-father, who adopted him from a Pittsburgh orphanage in 1915 when he was an infant. He doesn't even know the names of his real parents. The only clue to their identity was orphanage records lost from a shirt-pocket of the elder Sandor when the shirt was sent to the wash in 1916.

"I've always been worrying and wondering who my mother and father were," the young man said. "I want them—whether rich or ragged. Good or bad."

Hookworm infection is a serious health problem in South America.

Big Bend Park Said Lure For Tourists

ALPINE, Tex.—(AP)—The Big Bend National Park was pictured Saturday by Dr. H. W. Morelock, president of Sul Ross State Teachers College, as a magnet to lure tourist dollars into Texas trade channels.

"Regardless of what forms taxes take the money with which to pay them must come from the trade channels of the state," Dr. Morelock, who is vice president of the Texas Big Bend Park Association, said in an interview.

NEW BUILDING TOTAL LISTED

$25,000 Is February Mark In McAllen

McALLEN—New construction in McAllen during February totaled $25,016, with the largest of the 15 building permits issued to Rev. Father Charles Buckley for a construction of a $6,000 Catholic Church.

Construction totaled less than half of the building done here during February, 1940, when permits soared to $54,437, City Inspector C. C. Eckhoff said. The decrease was $29,421.

Permits issued included: Residences, J. E. Habermann, $2,500; Gus Guerra, $1,750; Felipe Senda, $50; Herminio Delgado, $100; Guadalupe Rodriguez, $300; Antonio Rodriguez, $50; Amado Garcia, $125; Jay Lake, $200; Julia de Diaz, $90; Eva A. Chappell, $250; garages, E. B. Ogden, $70; Martin Vargas, $30; additions, Jay Lake, $100; Eva Cantu, $25.

RETURN TO COMBES

COMBES—Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wilson have moved back in Combes to the house they formerly occupied.

U. S. Navy May Hike Strength To 300,000

WASHINGTON— (AP) —A prediction that Congress would be asked within a few days to increase the navy's strength to 300,000 men was made Saturday by the Army and Navy Register.

The service publication said that this increase from the present force of about 220,000 would suffice only for the remainder of the year. The navy already has estimated that 500,000 men will be required for the prospective two-ocean fleet, due to be completed in 1944 or 1946.

Italians Give Version Of Recapture Of Castelrosso

ROME — (AP) — The Italian high command told Saturday of a victory over an "imposing" force of British which, it was said, went to great pains to seize the tiny island of Castelrosso off Turkey's southwest coast only to be ejected.

(The British said Friday their forces "accomplished their object" and withdrew.)

The Italians, mentioning events on the four-mile-square island in the Dodecanese for the first time, gave this as their version:

Mobilizing an "expeditionary force," with "naval formations" and warplanes, the British bombed and hammered the island on February 25 until they had overcome the small garrison of "soldiers and sailors" who held it for Italy.

But that was only a temporary victory for the British, the high command said. Three days later several small Italian torpedo boats, with "effective aid" of the air force, landed a party which "rapidly destroyed the British garrison," took possession of prisoners, arms, munitions and a British flag, and restored Italian rule.

48 MEETINGS ARE HELD IN NEW C. OF C. BUILDING

McALLEN—During the 28 days of February, 48 meetings were held in the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building, besides numerous conferences for transaction of routine business, and the registration of over 500 tourists, a report by chamber officials Saturday revealed. The officials expressed their appreciation to citizens for making the building possible and thanked all donors of chairs to the new auditorium.

The reports showed that among the 48 meetings were one regional exhibit, two conventions, one farm women's meeting, five chamber of commerce meetings, four city club meetings and 11 committee eetings. The remainder were tourist meetings. The greatest number of meetings held on any one day was five.

IN BROWNSVILLE

PHARR—Mrs. O. E. Avery visited friends and attended the showing of "Virginia" in Brownsville Thursday night.

Free French Forces Team With British

LONDON — (AP) — "Free French" headquarters announced Saturday that a field battalion of their forces from the Chad territory now was aiding British in operations against Cheren, Eritrea, and that it had participated in the capture of Cubcub, north of Cheren, seizing 400 prisoners and three guns.

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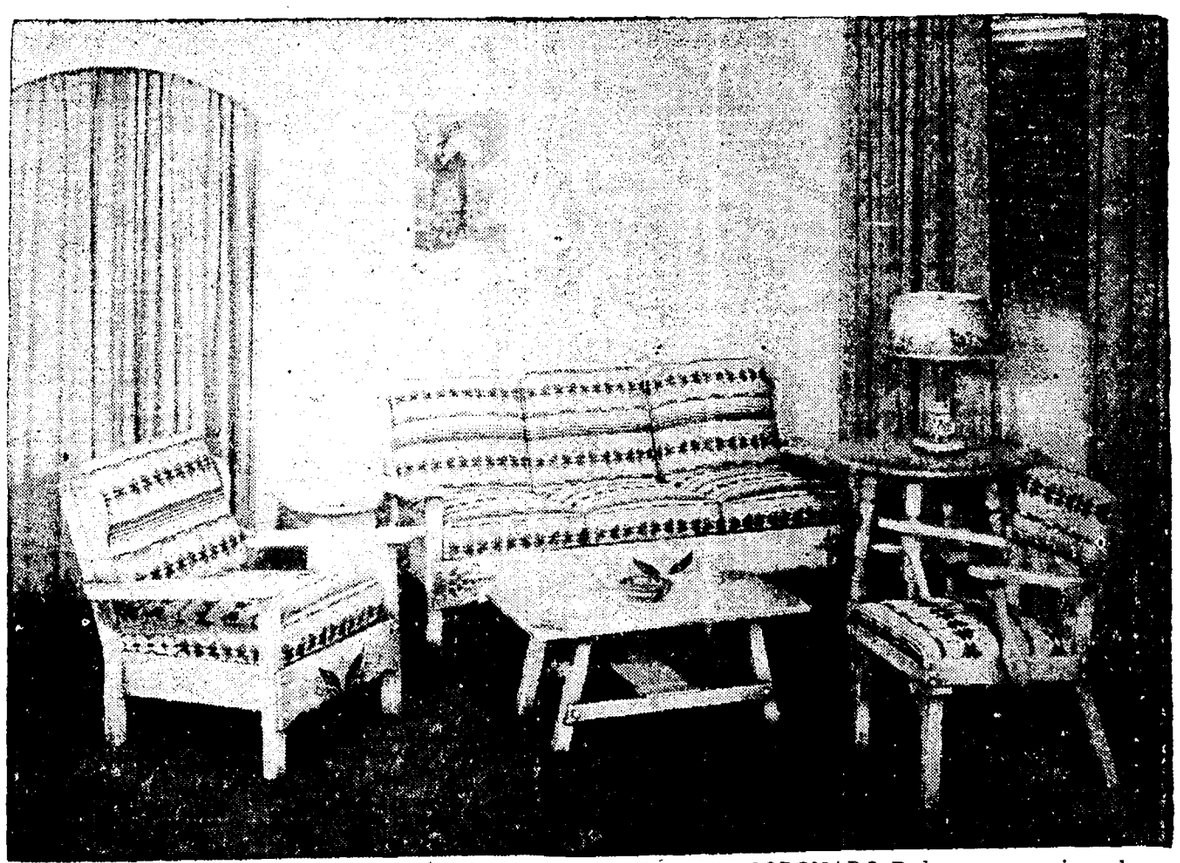

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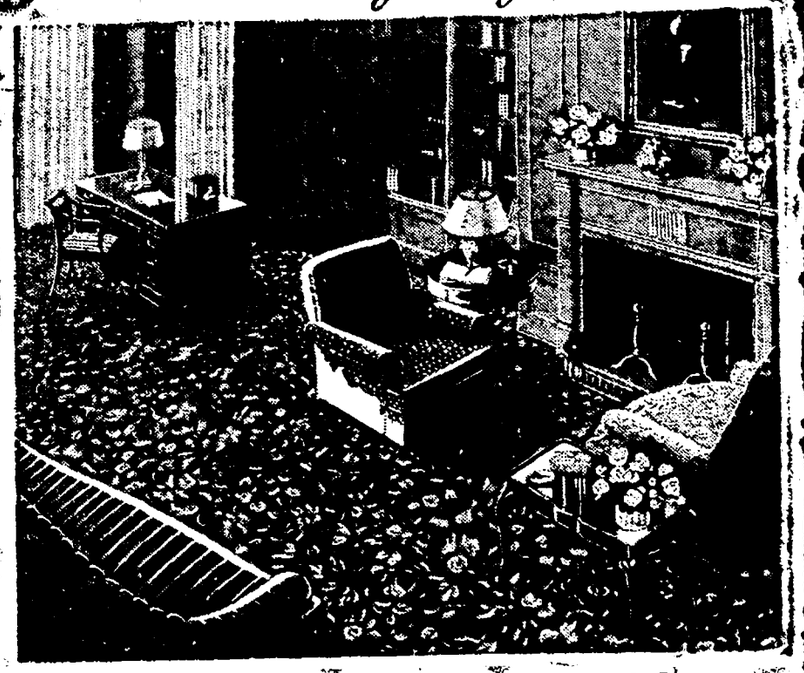

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Interpreting The War News

Nazis To Risk All?

Hitler May Want To Avoid Another 'War Winter' And Open Offensive Now

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

The month of March, reputed in respect to weather to go out like a lamb when it comes in like a lion, does not seem destined to live up to that reputation so far as events of the European war are concerned.

It has come in like a lion with tension high in the Balkans and Germany reporting sea-war successes against Britain. It bids fair to go out roaring with action certainly in the Atlantic and possibly also in the Balkans and the far Pacific.

Germany reached her high-water mark in the World War in March 1918. The Kaiser's armies all but cut the French and British apart on the west front in that spring drive. They risked everything on that final offensive in the hope of avoiding another war winter for Germany.

There is good reason to believe now that Berlin is prepared to risk all on the Hitler-pledged great sea attack on England for precisely the same reason. Another war winter in the strangling grip of the British blockade could threaten the Nazi regime with internal disintegration if British and neutral economists gauge German food and oil resources right.

Germany "Prepared"

Nazi leaders from Hitler down have said repeatedly that they are prepared for a war of any duration. Months ago, however, Americans back home from Berlin told this writer of their doubts on that score.

They saw possibilities of an uprising in Germany only distantly. It depended, they believed, on either of two factors.

Even iron-fisted Nazi suppression at home could not avert serious rumblings of discontent, they believed, if the German army sustained a disastrous defeat. They felt certain that it was fear of just such a defeat that withheld a German attempt to invade England last summer or early fall when other conditions seemed right for the attempt.

The other factor which could undermine Hitler at home, they believed, was a grave food shortage; but they saw no prospect that it could develop before the winter of 1941-42. American economists who give close attention to the present or predictable food situation in Germany or on the European continent seem to share that opinion.

Scarcity Of Fats

There is before the writer a recapitulation from authoritative sources of the German food situation as of today so far as it is known. There are many missing or incalculable factors, but it seems clear that the general mass of Nazi citizenry is now suffering from lack of the same fats for diet purposes that drove the German people of 1918 to revolt against the Kaiser.

DICK STOUT BOOKED HERE

Attorney Speaks At Friday Rotary

DICK STOUT

HARLINGEN—Dick Stout, Dallas motion picture counsel and former assistant attorney general of Texas, will address the Harlingen Rotary Club Friday, March 7, speaking on the subject, "National Defense and the Motion Picture Industry."

To accompany his talk, Stout will set up a complete sound-equipped motion picture unit, and will show a timely program of patriotic films.

Spoke At Camp Bowie

Stout recently delivered his address to over 500 officers and men at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, in the Army tent theatre. Following the talk, Sout showed a National Defense aviation program, consisting of films dealing with America's air corps and Britain's R.A.F. The program received praise from Major General Claud V. Birkhead, 36th Division and Camp Bowie commander, who was present with his entire staff.

Stout is well known throughout the Lower Rio Grande Valley and has been closely identified with the citrus industry. He served as assistant attorney general during the last two years of Attorney General McCraw's tenure, and was retained by Attorney General Mann when he took office. Stout remained with Mann a year and five months before resigning to specialize in motion picture law.

Interstate Attorney

During first few months of Attorney General Mann's administration, Stout represented the department of agriculture in minimum price litigation. After several months in all sections of the Valley, Stout returned to Austin and made several addresses on the beauty and natural advantages of the Valley.

He has just returned from New York where he attended meeting of the executive committee of the motion picture committee cooperating for National Defense, theatre division. Stout is attorney for Interstate Circuit Inc. and Texas Consolidated Theatres Inc. The executive committee is composed of outstanding picture exhibitors of the United States. While in New York, Stout was a guest at the Recruiting Publicity Bureau of the U. S. Army at Governor's Island, where he discussed cooperation of motion picture industry and national defense with Army officials.

Houston To Memphis Airline Route Open

HOUSTON—(AP)—A Houston-to-Memphis air route was opened Saturday with the departure of a 21-passenger Chicago and Southern Air Lines plane, the City of Houston, at 8:30 a.m.

A brief ceremony, in which a ribbon across the plane door was snipped, preceded the take-off.

Fort Myer Barracks Destroyed By Fire

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The interior of a half century old brick barracks at nearby Fort Myer, Va., was destroyed Saturday by fire, which was kept from spreading to other buildings by apparatus summoned from the national capitol.

The barracks housed 160 men of Battery C, 16th Field Artillery, all of whom escaped injury.

Closed Fish Season Bill Becomes A Law

AUSTIN—(AP)—A bill providing a closed season on certain fish in Lake Waco, the Bosque river and tributaries in McLennan, Brazos and Hamilton counties became law Saturday when it was filed in the secretary of state's office without the governor's signature. Rep. Gordon Davis of Waco was the bill's author.

San Antonio Priest Succumbs Saturday

AUSTIN—(AP)—The body of the Rev. Paul Joseph Foik, CSC, 60, dean of arts and letters and librarian at St. Edward's University here, lay in state at the University Saturday night.

The noted Catholic scholar and historian died early Saturday of a heart disease.

Forty-Fifth Division Moves To Texas

All morning long, February 28, this was the scene at Fort Sill, Okla., as 1100 trucks rolled out in convoys transporting some 10,000 men of the Forty-Fifth Division to their new headquarters at Camp Barkeley, Abilene, Tex. Convoys rolled out from daylight until after noon.

Interesting Origins Of Familiar Expressions We Use

By FRANK COLBY

FACE THE MUSIC. I have found three theories as to how this expression originated. 1. It is of theatrical origin, first being used by actors, who were nervously preparing to go before the footlights and literally face the music (the orchestra or the pianist). 2. It is traced to the military formation. The soldier, in full equipment, stands at attention and faces the music. 3. At a military execution, the condemned one is made to stand facing both the firing squad and the "music," i.e., the bugler or the drum and bugle corps.

MAKE NO BONES. It is said that this expression originated in England with people living on the coast. Eating their fish in haste, they declared that they "made no bones" about it; that is, they disregarded the bones.

A COON'S AGE. A coon's age is an indefinite length of time, such as the number of years a raccoon may be expected to live. There is no connection with the vulgarism "coon," a derisive term for Negro.

BURY THE HATCHET. In pioneer days, the tomahawk was a favorite weapon of both Indian and settler. It also was used by the Indians as a ceremonial symbol. They buried the hatchet when they made peace, and dug it up again on the breaking out of war.

IN CAHOOTS. Cahoots is a corruption of COHORTS, members of a company or bands; hence, those who have the same interest or who seek a common, objective, as "we are in cahoots, together," for "we are cohorts."

GO TO BLAZES. Blazes is simply a euphemism for the infernal regions, or for the devil. "He looked, upon my word, like Old Blazes himself, with his clothing all on fire."—Southern Literary Messenger, 1849.

KICK THE BUCKET. It is believed that this expression originated in the gaol of former centuries. The prison cell contained a bucket and a pallet as the only furnishings. The despondent prisoner who desired suicide circled his neck with his belt, which had been fastened to an uppar bar of the door. Then, by kicking the bucket from beneath his feet, he managed to hang himself.

A NUMBER ONE. In the days of the sailing vessel, Lloyds of London used letters and numerals in rating the insurability of ships. A-1 marked a ship as the best type of "risk."

RED TAPE. This expression had its origin in the custom in public offices of tying up documents with red tape. Later, when it was necessary to consult the documents, the tape made the work slow and disagreeable. The expression has long been known. Dickins used it in "David Copperfield": "Skewered through and through with office pens, and bound hand and foot with red tape."

THE DOLLAR MARK. There are two logical theories as to how the dollar mark originated. The first explanation is that $ is a simple monogram made by combining the letters U. S. It was used to distinguish American coins from the Spanish coins which circulated extensively in the young republic. The second theory is that $ evolved from the Mexican sign Ps for pesos or piastres (pieces of eight) which were widely used before the adoption of the United States dollar in 1785.

P'S and Q'S. In the old taverns, a record was kept of the liquor purchases of guests by tallying the pints and quarts as they were imbibed. Seasoned travelers minded their P's and Q's carefully in order that they might not be overcharged.

PULL THE WOOL. According to De Vere (1871): "To 'pull wool over the eyes,' as is done to make sheep go into the water or into the pen where they are to be shorn, means proverbially to blind one's judgment." HOODWINK refers to the hood with which falcons were blinded and rendered tractable.

NOSE TO THE GRINDSTONE. This is an allusion to the toilsome hours a farmer must spend in the spring to sharpen on the grindstone the various cutting implements of the farm. The word "grind," in the meaning of a long, monotonous task, has the same origin. A man who had "an axe to grind," and who possessed no grindstone of his own, would make what apparently was a purely social call on a neighbor for the purpose of having his axe ground without cost.

The expression is an old one. "Special legislation in behalf of private interests is one of the curses of this country. The number of axes which are taken to the various state capitols, to be ground at the public expense, is perfectly enormous."—New York Tribune, March 23, 1871.

HOUSTON NEWS EDITOR QUITS

M. E. Foster Founder Of Chronicle

HOUSTON—(AP)—M. E. Foster, editor emeritus and columnist of The Houston Press and former editor and publisher of The Houston Chronicle, retired Saturday.

His retirement ended a lively 45-year career in Houston, which started when he came here from Huntsville as a $10-a-week reporter.

Young Marcellus Foster's first job in Houston was on the Houston Post. In three years he was managing editor. During his tenure in that position he covered the great Galveston flood.

Founds Chronicle

One year after that disaster, the first edition of the Houston Chronicle rolled off the presses. Foster had raised $25,000 to start the paper, which was to play an important part in city and state life.

Success came quickly to Foster and The Chronicle. He drew attention with his sharp writings under the name "Mefo"—taken from his first two initials and the first two letters of his surname.

Fought Ku lux

He fought the Ku Klux Klan for five years.

On June 26, 1926, Foster retired as editor and publisher of The Chronicle, selling his stock to Jesse Jones, present secretary of commerce.

He joined the Houston Press as editor emeritus four years ago. He will retain the latter title, although he will not write for the paper any longer.

Producing Wells In Texas Total 95,660

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texas now has 95,660 producing oil wells, a gain of 72 in the past week, the State Railroad Commission reported Saturday.

The commission estimated that actual Texas production this week averaged 1,304,479 barrels a day, or 22,921 below the Bureau of Mines recommendation for March.

Defense Creates Big Hike In Living Cost

SAN BENITO—Rehearsals are under way of the De Molay's old-fashioned melodrama, "He Ain't Done Right by Nell" and several vaudeville skits that are to be staged at the American Legion hall on March 13, 14 and 15. Miss Margaret Conrardy is directing the show.

Senate Votes Probe Of Defense Program

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Senate voted unanimously Saturday to undertake an investigation of the defense program. The inquiry will be made by a committee of seven senators, to be appointed by the vice president.

Proposals for a similar House investigation are pending in that branch.

California Tops

FHA State Building Totals Listed

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Federal Housing Administration reported Saturday that California led the nation in new home construction under the FHA system last year, accounting for nearly one-fifth of the 162,333 mortgages valued at $721,462,431, which were insured in 1940.

The California totals were 30,943 mortgages worth $131,715,900.

The FHA also reported this number of mortgages insured and their aggregate value in other states:

Oklahoma, 3,024 and $11,663,850; Texas, 10,626 and $40,756,550.

Cleaning Agent For Defense Metal Told

CLEVELAND—(AP)—Development of a new cleansing agent which is expected to double the life of certain strategic defense metals was reported Saturday by a Wyandotte, Mich., research chemist.

Aluminum and light metal alloys used in airplane and anti-aircraft shell manufacture are given greater protection against corrosion by bathing them in the cleaning solution, Dr. Thomas R. Vaughn asserted in an interview.

Dr. Rainey Stresses Economic Awakening

AUSTIN—(AP)—Decrying the slowness of Texas and the south in realizing the area's potentialities, Dr. Homer P. Rainey, president of the University of Texas, urged an "economic awakening" in an address to several hundred alumni at a Texas Independence Day banquet here Saturday night.

Wage-Hour Talk On Radio Is Scheduled

HARLINGEN—Gus C. Street Jr., of Dallas, regional director, Wage and Hour Division, U. S. Department of Labor, will speak over KRGV at Weslaco at 1:30 p.m. Sunday on the Wage and Hour Law as Affecting the Citrus Industry."

WEST VIRGINIA GUEST

SAN BENITO—Mrs. Marie Fitch has as her guest for a month's stay, her niece, Mrs. Raymond Shane of Keyser, W. Va.

Cancer Parley

Mrs. Volney Taylor Goes To Austin

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Volney W. Taylor of Brownsville, state commander and regional deputy commander of the Women's Field Army of the American Society for the Control of Cancer, is to confer Sunday morning in Austin with the cancer committee of the State Medical Association.

Purpose of the meeting is to discuss revisions of a bill providing appropriations for a state hospital for indigent cancer patients.

Mrs. Taylor returned here Saturday morning from Houston where she spent Friday assisting Mrs. John T. Moore, captain of Harris county, in formation of a unit of the WFA of ASCC. She was to leave Saturday by train for Austin.

CRASH INJURES FIVE

BOWIE, Tex.—(AP)—Four of five young women who were injured in an automobile accident near Sunset Sunday night remained in a hospital here Monday night.

MOBILITY OF ARMY SHOWN

Camp Barkeley Move Without Hitch

By DAVE CHEAVENS

(See Picture at Left)

ABILENE—(AP)—Transfer of 10,500 troops of the 45th Division from Fort Sill, Okla., to Camp Barkeley here without an injury or mishap demonstrates the "strategical mobility" of a modern motorized division, Major General W. S. Key said Saturday.

'Splendid Training'

The commanding general of the division made up of southwestern soldiers said the chief significance of the swap in camps lay in its value as "splendid training, giving us an opportunity to show how more than half a division can pick up and move, bag and baggage, more than 200 miles without a hitch."

"The convoy came through on cshedule and without a scratch," he said. "It reflects credit on the men and on their supervising officers. When our entire allowance of motorized equipment is received, we will be able to move the entire division under our own power by the shuttle process. We moved yesterday with eight-elevenths of our own motors.

"The men are in fine physical condition and they like to work. This training camp is well-suited to field work, and they will get plenty of it."

He asked that visitors postpone inspecting the camp for a week or so until construction is further along and until the troops can adjust themselves here. He pointed out that in addition to approximately 13,000 troops in camp, Sunday there will be 6,000 workmen on hand.

Indiana counts only men over 21 in distributing legislative seats.

REVENUERS PLAY SNOWMEN TO NAB MOONSHINE CORN

RICHMOND, Va.—(AP)—T. P. Duggan and T. F. Casey mushed through the pre-dawn snowstorm. At Goddin Street they fell prone and the wind-swept flakes covered them like two lonely hillocks.

A man came out of a house and passed the snow mounds without a backward glance as he made his way to a thicket.

Then T. P. Duggan and T. F. Casey arose from the snow and as alert operatives of the State Liquor Control Board laid hands on the man and charged him with the possession of 194 half-gallon jars of moonshine corn.

C. C. Finished

Final Work Scheduled On Structure

McALLEN—All construction work on the McAllen chamber of commerce building is expected to be completed by the end of the week, officials said Saturday.

The new auditorium and original structure are being painted a cream color.

The cost of the new construction and remodeling the old building will be between $4,500 and $5,000, officials said. The cost will exceed estimates because improvements were made to the old building and a new roof was put on the structure.

Part of the auditorium has been partitioned to enclose an office for the chamber manager and a committee meeting room.

VISIT IN BROWNSVILLE

PHARR — Mrs. Lena Britten is visiting with friends in Brownsville this week.

MASONIC MEET TO DRAW MANY

Several Districts To Be Represented

McALLEN—Officials of the McAllen Masonic lodge said Saturday that replies and reports from Masons of other Texas districts and the grand lodge of Tamaulipas, indicates that a large number will be on hand here Friday, March 7, at the annual Valley-wide meeting of the 40th district, which will also mark the 25th anniversary of the founding of the McAllen lodge.

Replies have been received from the 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd and 120th districts and from the Tamaulipaas lodge.

Past grand masters who will attend are W. Madden Fly, Gonzalez, chairman of the foreign correspondence; Wallace Hugh Stone, McKinney, and Leo Lockwood, Waco.

Other officials who will be present are George H. Below, grand secretary, Waco; Rogers Kelley, Edinburg, grand senior warden, and Sam B. Cantey, Jr., grand master of the Texas lodge, who will make the principal address.

The Masons will gather at the McAllen high school athletic field at 6 p. m. for a barbecue and at 8 p. m. will meet at the junior high school for the tiled session.

STUDENT VISITING

McALLEN—Fred Taylor, student at the University of Texas, is spending the week-end visiting friends here.

FOR BABY'S COMFORT

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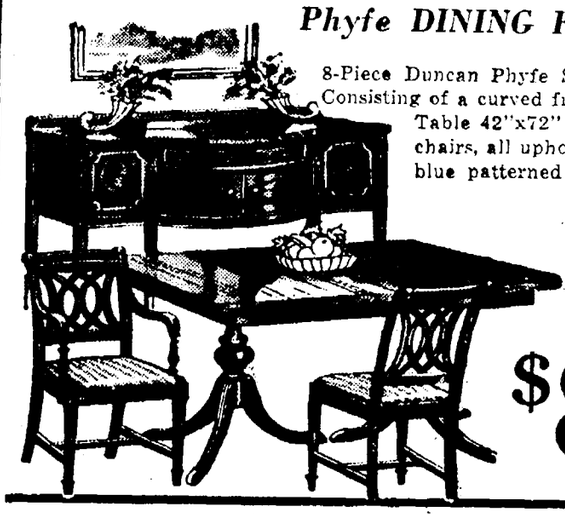

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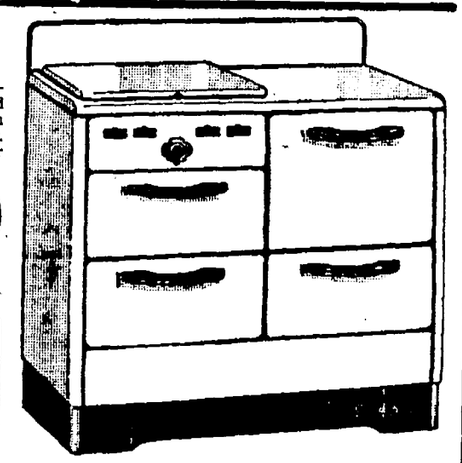

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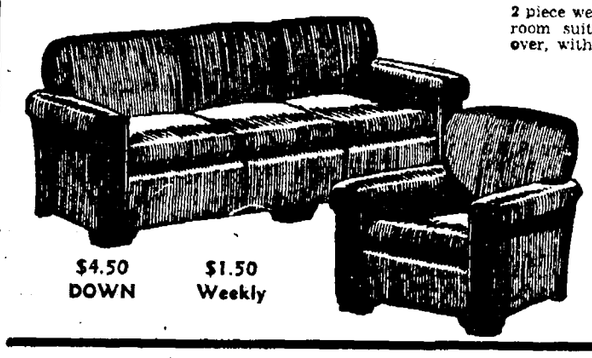

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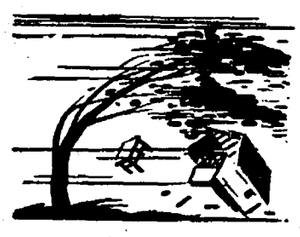

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46 BUSINESS FIRMS ENTER SAFETY MOVE

McAllen Lions Club Sponsors Drive

McALLEN — Forty-six McAllen firms had joined the Lions Club sponsored traffic safety drive Saturday to make McAllen a really safe city.

Firms desiring to enter the contest have until March 5 to fill out blanks, H. B. Gabbert, chairman of the Lions safety committee, said. The McAllen Chamber of Commerce safety committee is cooperating in the campaign to enroll every firm in the city to assist with the drive.

A total of 366 employees were listed among the cooperating firms. Awards will be given to the firms who on March 1, 1942 present a perfect safety record. Individuals connected with the firms will be given safe driver awards, Gabbert explained.

Since Hidalgo county, with 68 traffic deaths, rates third in the state in the number of traffic deaths for 1940, this drive will undoubtedly save many lives by the safety program now under way, G. M. Taylor, chairman of the chamber's safety committee, said.

"Driver training pays big dividends in savings, not only in life but expensive repair costs," he said. "It is the campaign's objective to obtain a perfect driving score by the elimination of traffic accidents with the hope that their project will become county-wide in effect."

Firms who have signed for the campaign are Martin and Martin Garage, Brown Express, McAllen Moving and Transfer, City State Bank and Trust Company, McAllen Motor, Railway Express, Kreidler's, Western Auto, McAllen Coca Cola, Goodrich, Carpenter Chevrolet, Rado Refinery, Edelstein Better Furniture, O'Neal Specialty, Polk Motor, Borderland Hardware, Crawford Construction, Grisham Ice Cream, Valley Evening Monitor.

McAllen Ice, Valley Dr. Pepper, Martin-Nelson, Red Arrow, Rio Grande Valley Gas Company, Kemble Oil, Lack's Tire and Supply, Brogdex, Boggus Motor, Valley Pipeline, Western Union, Southern Pacific Railroad, Retail Merchants, Jones Motor Freight, Vine's Furniture, A. B. C. Cab, Troy Cleaning, C. R. Anthony Company, Robinson Truck Lines, Maytag, Folsom Floral, Valley Mercantile, Palmer Drug, Central Power and Light Company, chamber of commerce, Young's Drug and the Alamo Freight Lines.

New Labor Head

Fidel Velazquez To Replace Toledano

MEXICO CITY—(AP)—Fidel Velazquez was elected by acclamation to succeed Vicente Lombardo Toledano as secretary-general of the Confederation of Mexican Workers Saturday during the concluding session of the CTM's second national congress.

Regarded as more conservative than his predecessor, Velazquez was expected to chart a middle-of-the-road course for the CTM in contrast to the frank, leftist trend under Lombardo Toledano. For this reason, Velazquez was described as acceptable to conservative President Avila Camacho who told the delegates Friday they must "undertake a considered revision of their methods, precedures and objectives."

Russian Purchases For Domestic Uses

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The State Department announced Saturday that Constantine Oumansky, the Soviet ambassador, had informed Undersecretary Welles that all goods being purchased in this country were for the exclusive use of domestic industry in Soviet Russia.

Oumansky's promise, which was interpreted as providing assurance that none of the goods shipped to Russia are being transshipped to Germany, was made during the course of discussions during the day with the undersecretary.

Woman, 3 Tots Burn In Gasoline Blast

ORCHARD, Colo.—(AP)—A woman and three of her children were burned to death Saturday despite the mother's frantic efforts to save them.

Her clothing ignited when gasoline exploded in a downstairs kitchen, Mrs. Earl Butters, 36, disregarded her own danger and dashed upstairs to the children's bedroom. She and her children, Marion, 2, Dean, 6, and Glen, 4, were trapped and burned to death.

La Feria Couple Is Wed In Brownsville

DEL MAR—Del Mar had a pair of newlyweds as guests Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Moore of La Feria.

Mrs. Moore was Miss Mildred White of La Feria prior to her marriage Saturday noon at the Presbyterian church in Brownsville.

They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Twitchell here.

Moore is well-known as the sales manager of the Interstate Fruit and Vegetable Company at La Feria.

To Puerto Rico Job

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Major General James L. Collins, commander of the army's second division at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., was assigned Saturday to command the Puerto Rican department.

GO TO BEAUMONT

McALLEN—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wilson will leave Sunday for Beaumont. He was formerly chief operator at the Palace Theatre.

Weslaco Boys Win First Places

These are the Weslaco boys who as a team won first place at the cattle and swine judging contests sponsored by the Edouch-Elsa chapter, Future Farmers of America, Saturday. At the left is Cecil Truitt, in the center is Herman Henry, holding the trophy and at the right is Clarence Parker. The calves were the Edcouch-Elsa chapter's used in the judging. The three boys also shared individual high point honors with 555 each. Austin, Ellison, Weslaco vocational agriculture teacher, left early and was not in the picture.

Vagrant Didn't Know It Was Against Law To Beg 'When Yo Gits Hawngry'

MERCEDES — "Boss, ah didn't know they's a law against askin' fo' food when yo gets hawngry."

That was the plea Willie Harris, Negro, filed with Justice of the Peace T. J. Fikes, Sr., here this week when he was booked with vagrancy. He was fined $10 and costs for the offense, but before accepting the penalty Willie gave the judge some of his theories about this business of being a tramp.

"Ah gets hawngry lots o' times," he told the judge. "And when ah does ah'm careful about who ah asks. Ah don't go around the residential district; ah just stays downtown an' asks fo' a few crumbs of cheese and some bread. Is dey a law against that?"

Harris' case was one of a number handled in the justice court here this week. Others included Ivy Stafford, speeding, $1 and costs; Baltazar Chapa, violation of law of the road, $10 and costs; W. F. Powell, Jr., violation of law of the road, $1 and costs; G. E. Johnson, affray, $10 and costs; O. J. Power, affray, $1 and costs, and G. K. Wilson, drunkenness, $1 and costs.

In Justice R. E. Erwin's court at Weslaco the past week the following fines were assessed: J. W. Haggard, speeding, $1 and costs; Ardes Featherston, drunkenness, $1 and costs; G. L. Moody, parking on highway, $1 and costs; E. G. Adele, theft, $1 and costs, and Eugene Mitchell, vagrancy, $15 and costs.

In Justice T. Holl Spilman's court at Mission, B. B. Thompson, charged with drunkenness, was fined $10 and costs.

COPS RETURN STOLEN AUTO

2 Held At Reynosa In 1940 Theft

McALLEN — City Patrolman Richard Bales of McAllen and County Patrolman Truett Jordan of Mercedes returned here Saturday afternoon fro mReynosa with a 1939 Ford coupe belonging to the Firestone Auto Supply and Service Store which was stolen outside the station here last February 18.

Released By Mexico

The car was turned over to the two officers and Joe Moore, Firestone manager, at Reynosa Saturday afternoon by Marin Espinosa, Mexican federal district attorney.

Two Reynosa customs officers, Brigido Villareal and Ignacio Aguilar, found the machine 12 miles southwest of Reynosa on the Mendez road the day after the theft. Ruben Federico Gonzalez Victoria and Alvarado Obregon are being held at Reynosa as accomplices in the theft, Bales reported.

Hearings Monday

Victoria and Obregon are to be given hearings by the Reynosa judge Monday, and Bales will appear agafnst them to offer testimony for the Mexican government.

Jordan said a truck belonging to Guinn Goodson of Mercedes, stolen there last February 23, is to be returned Monday. The truck was found about 18 miles south of Reynosa off a dirt road in the brush on February 24. When the vehicle was stolen, it was parked in front of the house of Jose Gonzalez at Mercedes, driver for Goodson.

Soviet Council OK's Big Budget For '41

MOSCOW—(AP)—The Council of Nationalities, one of the two chambers of the supreme Soviet, adopted Saturday by a show of hands the 1941 budget for the Soviet union, providing for expenditures of 216,052,000,000 rubles to be covered by estimated income of 222,375,000,000 rubles.

(The ruble has a nominal value of about 19 cents, but accurate conversion into American money is impossible because of lack of an open market.)

County Judges Okay 1-Cent Tax On Gas

CORPUS CHRISTI —(AP)— The South Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association, closing a two-day session here Saturday, passed unanimously a resolution favoring the adoption of a special one cent gasoline tax to take care of defense road building in Texas. The money would be used to match federal funds applied on military highways.

Mistrial Declared

ORANGE—(AP)—A mistrial was declared Saturday in the case of Carl Jewell, 37, automobile mechanic charged with shooting to death Laurine Wagner, 29, after a district court jury had failed to agree after deliberating 26 hours.

ROBSTOWN VISITOR

McALLEN — Jimmy Westbrook, N. Y. A. district engineer at Robstown and former member of the N. Y. A. staff in McAllen, viisted hetre Saturday.

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Troops Called

Chile Army Oversees Sunday Election

SANTIAGO, Chile—(AP)—Chile's armed forces were ordered Saturday night for the first time in history to supervise a general congressional election Sunday which may alter the course of Chilean policies for the next four years.

President Pedro Aguirre Cedra's administration admittedly faced a critical test. Rightists, many of whom supported him two years ago in the now defunct popular front coalition, seek to retain a majority of seats in the Senate and Chamber of Deputies. On the other hand, a so-called "leftist front" bloc including Aguirre's own radical party and members of the old popular front with the exception of the socialists, is bidding for control of both Houses of Congress.

At stake is the entire membership of 147 seats in the Chamber of Deputies and 20 of the 45 Senate seats.

Solons To Tour Big Bend Park Section

ALPINE—(AP)—Thirty-two Texas legislators, including members of the appropriations committee of the House, and other legislative representatives, will leave here Sunday for a tour of the Big Bend Park area.

The group arrived here from El Paso where they inspected the Texas College of Mines and Metallurgy and the lower El Paso Valley Experimental farm.

San Benito Band To Play Concert Today

SAN BENITO—Nolan Hatcher, Los Fresnos band leader, will be guest conductor at the San Benito band concert at 4 p.m. Sunday at the school auditorium.

Miss June Gudmanson will be featured with a clarinet solo in this second of a series of presentations. The program will include the "Star Spangled Banner," "Eroica Overture," "Long, Long Ago," "Atlantis Suite," "Serenade Roccaco," "Babes in Toyland," "Shortening Bread," and "Invercargill March."

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JOINT SPRING MEETING SET?

Stuart Place Units Favor New Plan

HARLINGEN—Members of the five community units packing their grapefruit and oranges through the Stuart Place Citrus Association plant here may hold their annual meeting jointly this spring.

The idea was put up at a joint meeting of the members of the five associations Friday night at the plant and they were unanimously in favor of the plan. The annual meetings usually are held late in the spring at the conclusion of the shipping season after all returns are in for fruit pools. Heretofore separate annual meetings have been held by the Combes, San Benito, Stuart Place, La Feria and Santa Rosa Citrus Associations.

Joint Meeting

It was suggested that by holding a joint meeting, the five associations would be able to bring an outside speaker of note to the Valley. The plan was broached by G. E. Vance, public relations representative of the Rio Grande Valley Citrus Exchange of which the units of the "Five-way Set-up" are members.

R. B. McLeaish, exchange manager, reported on finances and said that the citrus deal looked brighter than in some time. W. A. Brunton, exchange sales manager, expressed hope that larger sizes of grapefruit of which the Valley has a good many, would begin bringing better prices.

Grower Supplies

W. A. Dorman, manager of the Citrus Supply Corporation, an exchange subsidiary, told of supplies growers are able to get from their local associations.

W. E. Allen, manager of the Stuart Place association plant, reported on its operations.

'Rose Tag Day' At McAllen Nets $100

McALLEN—Over $100 was taken in Saturday when the McAllen Garden Club conducted its annual "rose tag day" for the club's civic beautification fund, Mrs. Hershel Whigham, general chairman of the drive, reported.

Nine stations were set up in the business district and roses were sold to passersby.

WESLACO FFA WINS JUDGING

Valley Boys Convene For Edcouch Show

(See Picture at Left)

EDCOUCH—Future Farmers and 4-H Club Boys of the Valley tried their hand at cattle and swine judging here Saturday in the annual contests sponsored by the Edcouch-Elsa Chapter, Future Farmers of America, and the Weslaco team romped off with highest score of the day.

The Weslaco Future Farmers scored 1,665 points out of a possible 1,800. The Edinburg Future Farmers were second, scoring 1,530 points while the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo 4-H club boys scored 1,495 points to place third.

Individual Winners

Members of the Weslaco team also won individual scoring honors, tieing with 555 points each. They were Cecil Truitt, Herman Henry and Clarence Parker. Members of the Edinburg team were John Pawlik, Gaynes Martin and Ernie Lobus while the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo team was composed of Joe Cox, Horace Stiers and Allen Arnold.

Five teams participated in the judging of calves and hogs belonging to the members of the Edcouch-Elsa chapter, FFA. The members of the local chapter did not participate in the judging of their own stock. The calf belonging to Ray Guinn was judged the best of four while the sow belonging to Carl Harbison was judged best.

Noon Barbecue

Judging of the calves and swine took place in the morning and at noon a barbecue was served to the participants, county agents, vocational agriculture teachers and visitors.

Projects of the local FFA chapter were inspected by boys and other visitors from other Valley communities during the day. Hoke McKim is vocational agriculture teacher in the host school while John Riley Wade is chapter president.

'Sphinx' To Talk?

Unsociable Prisoner May Serve 5 More

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—A prisoner in Holmesburg Prison will serve another five years—unless he breaks a five-year silence.

Known as the "Sphinx," the man last spoke after his arrest in 1935 when he was sentenced to five to 10 years on an automobile theft charge. He told police his name was Joseph Luzer but refused to give further information.

They were unable to find out anything more about him except that the jacket of the work clothes he wore when arrested was made in Germany. Guards and doctors who have questioned him in an effort to get him to talk have been met with stony stares.

Luzer's minimum term of five years expires March 3, but Judge Harry S. McDevitt Friday ordered the prisoer confined for the balance of the sentence unless he talks.

Slug From Inspector

CHARLESTON, S. C. —(AP)— You're liable to get a slug from almost anybody. A city bus driver reported he received a brass slug among a roll of nickels from a company inspector.

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Surplus Cotton Instead Of Concrete Is Proposed For Air Raid Shelters

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Cotton instead of reinforced concrete for air raid shelters was proposed Saturday.

E. C. Wallace, New York engineer who conceived the idea, told members of Congress that a 7-foot thickness of cotton would resist the penetration of a 6,000-pound bomb falling from 30,000 feet, whereas a 2,000-pound bomb falling 15,000 feet would penetrate 6-feet of reinforced concrete. The cotton can be fireproofed, it was said, so that incendiary bombs would have little effect.

Wallace's idea stirred enthusiastic interest among members of Congress from the cotton producing states.

Representative Boykin (D-Ala) explained it in a letter to members, and said he hoped to get a joint demonstration by the army and navy with the air corps dropping the bombs.

Boykin said the use of cotton for all-purpose shelters would absorb large quantities of surplus cotton.

Plans for the designers call for spans of 200 feet or more with clear ceiling and insulate sheet steel sidewalls. The roof would be made of 7-foot thick baled cotton tied in place by heavy steel wire netting.

"Woven wire mesh," said Wallace, "has been approved as a means of camouflage and this design has utilized this method as additional protection to the shelter. The design calls for two specially woven wire mats having a tensile strength of 220,000 pounds to the square inch. These mats are to be separated approximately 6 feet apart and supported on an angle above the cotton roof.

"The method of weaving the top mat and the angle at which it is placed should deflect any falling bombs, and if not exploded, should retard the fall and cause the bomb to hit the second screen on its side. The second mat should resist the fall of any bomb up to 1,000 pounds, and if it is a delayed action bomb, deflect this bomb away from the bomb shelter."

Lonesome Parrot

Won't Whistle Since Master In Army

CHICAGO—(AP)—Dr. Louis Spector's parrot is terribly lonesome since his master joined the army.

He won't talk; he won't whistle like he used to, and he won't eat—much. Dr. Spector's sister, Mrs. Meyer Agruss, said the bird only squawks "Lou, O Lou!"

"He's on a food strike and it's pitiful," Mrs. Agruss said.

She scoffed at the suggestion that the parrot might have heard about the dog who pined away for his master in the army.

"The parrot can talk when he's feeling good and he can sing and whistle, but he can't read the newspapers," said Mrs. Agruss.

Del Mar Beach Fish Prospect Excellent

DEL MAR—Propects were excellent for a fine week-end here Saturday.

The beach is in good condition and the water was excellent. Fishermen expected to have good luck over the week-end.

SOONER CHIEF WARNS ARMY

Engineers Are Told Stay Off Damsite

DURANT, Okla.—(AP)—Gov. Leon C. Phillips ordered U. S. Army engineers at the Red River damsite Saturday to stay off state land in the area until arrangements are made to compensate the state for "the losses we will suffer."

The red-haired chief executive went to the engineers' office one-fourth of a mile from the damsite, delivered his ultimatum, then turned back without ever looking at the $56,000,000 project on the Texas-Oklahoma border.

Phillips met Major R. C. Brown, who is in charge of land acquisition for the project, and Capt. J. H. Anderson, in charge of relocating highways and railroads. He advised them that under the law state land may not be sold without his consent and added:

"I notify you now as governor of Oklahoma to stay off it until a program of actually repaying us for the losses we will suffer has been worked out."

Safety Program

Patrolman Musick To Speak At McAllen

McALLEN—When the McAllen Chamber of Commerce safety committee conducts its intensive safety week program the week of March 16, State Patrolman J. O. Musick of Harlingen, will make several speeches.

He will meet with the junior traffic patrol and give the officers instructions in safety measure. Safety Committee Chairman Marvin Taylor said that every one of his committeemen reported their plans were being completed for the week. The school post contests headed by Mrs. Homer Rowe are already under way.

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BAPTISTS IN VALLEY WILL ATTEND MEET

Dallas Convention Is Set April 15-17

HARLINGEN — A large number of Baptist Sunday school officials in Harlingen are expected to attend the annual Texas Baptist Sunday school convention in Dallas on April 15-17, Rev. Douglas Carver said Friday.

Those who may attend include B. S. Mothershed, general superintendent of the school; superintendents Paul Greenwood, adult department; C. H. Hamilton, Young Peoples'; R. B. Hamilton, Intermediate; Mrs. J. J. Willingham, Juniors; Mrs. J. P. Peck, Primary; Mrs. Walter Malone, Beginners and Mrs. A. H. Goldammer, Cradle Roll; and Mrs. S. G. Stringer, secretary of finance committee and Miss Edity Carden, promotion secretary

In March, 1940, the state convention met in Harlingen with some 6,000 persons attending. The local Sunday school has established a fine record and is "standard" in regulation as are four of its departments.

Speakers Listed

Among those scheduled to speak at the Dallas meeting are Dr. C. O. Johnson, St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. R. G. Lee, Memphis, Tenn.; Dr. John L. Hill, Dr. T. L. Holcomb, Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. R. C. Campbell, Dallas; Andrew Allen, H. B. Ingraham, J. N. Barnette, William P. Phillips, H. L. King, Dr. H. L. Grice, Miss Mary Alice Biby, all from the Baptist school board in Nashville.

J. E. Mead, education director of Cliff Temple Baptist church, Dallas, is president of the convention; Mrs. J. H. Slaughter, Dallas, and Mrs. Monon Seawell, Fort Worth, recording secretary and G. S. Hopkins, who has been general secretary-treasurer for 16 years.

Wootan Chairman

General chairman of arrangements for the meeting is Harry P. Wootan, education director of the Gaston Avenue Baptist church. A pre-convention session features the presentation of "The Prodigal Son," a musical drama, by the Southwestern Seminary Chorus of Fort Worth, on April 14 and a training banquet will be held on April 16.

The organization of the Sunday school convention was completed in Dallas in June 1925 and was formed by the merger of the organized Bible class and the Sunday school superintendent's convention.

Aguilar To Visit

Tamaulipas Governor Plans Trip Here

RIO GRANDE CITY—Governor Magdaleno Aguilar of the state of Tamaulipas, will visit the Valley after meeting Governor W. Lee O'Daniel at Austin, Pedro Diaz and Bill Coddington of Rio Grande City said Saturday.

Diaz and Coddington recently conferred with Governor Aguilar at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico.

The Tamaulipas chief executive is to be escorted to Austin by State Senator Rogers Kelley of Edinburg, senator for the Valley district.

Jose R. Puente, personal friend and advisor of Governor Aguilar, is to be here shortly to meet with members of the Civic Luncheon club and help in arrangements for the governor's trip.

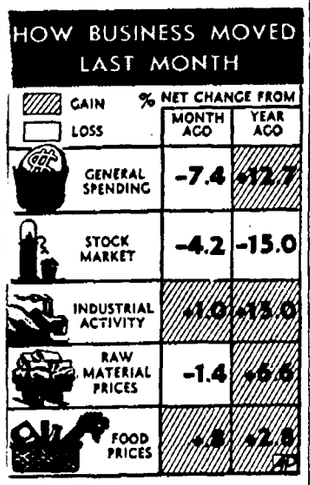
200 Legionnaires Sign At McAllen

McALLEN — McAllen American Legion post officials expected registration of local ex-service men to reach 200, Commander C. D. Martin said Saturday, before final returns are completed.

Incomplete reports on registration were given Friday night at the regular Legion meeting when reports on the Washington Birthday dance were given by Ray Losh and flag donations by O. C. Emery. Members of the Legion post will hold a flag presentation ceremony at the Catholic school Sunday at 4 p.m. when a flag will be donated the school by the post.

Nazis In Morocco

LONDON—(AP)—Gen. Charles de Gaulle, the "Free French" leader, told a reception of French in London Saturday that 80 carefully chosen Germans had arrived in Casablanca, French Morocco, charged with "carrying on the progressive disintegration of France and her empire."



DRAFTEES TO GET SENDOFF

14 From Brownsville To Leave Monday

BROWNSVILLE — Fourteen Brownsville youths leaving Monday night for Fort Sam Houston on draft call will be given a big sendoff with a luncheon at noon and a band concert at night.

The American Legion post will be host to the lads at noon Monday at the White Kitchen. Several officers of the post will be present and members of the draft board will also be guests.

The Brownsville High School band will play at the Southern Pacific station for an hour prior to departure of the train for San Antonio at 8 p.m. Monday.

Ed Mockbee is chairman of the committee on arrangements, with Tom Stevenson assisting.

The young men to leave Monday night, all volunteers, are: Albert Emmett Reed, Antonio Pena Jr., Juan Saenz Martinez, Ignacio Hernandez, Calixto Gomez, Pablo Perales Gonzales, Crus Salas Flores, Delfino Guerrero, Conrado de la Cruz, Roberto Shears, Rafael Lucio Castro, Candelario Garcia, Juan Garcia Montes and Robert L. Jones.

Presbyterians Set Guest Speaker For Service On Sunday

HARLINGEN—The Rev. Nelson R. Hawkins, president of the Southwestern Presbyterian Home and School for Orphans, will preach at the First Presbyterian church Sunday at 11 a. m.

Sol Zimberoff and Phillip Murray will play a violin duet, Franz Schubert's "Ave Maria." Miss Mary Elizabeth Challes, organist, will play "Temple Prelude," by V. Petrali; "Cantilene," by William Faulkes, and "Festive March," by Charles Blackmore.

At the evening worship the Blue Triangle, the junior high school Y.W.C.A. organization will have their candle lighting service Fifteen girls from this organization will compose a chorus which will sing "I Would Be True," by Walter. Edna Boone, Charlotte Prenzler, Elizabeth Joseph and Carol Fox will outline the history program and purpose of the organization and Ouita Roberts will lead the prayer. The pastor will preach the sermon and Miss Challes will play Mozart's "Pastoral" for the organ prelude.

Edinburg To Change Peddler's Ordinance

EDINBURG—Mayor A. A. Aldrich said Saturday that the city ordinance regulating peddlers' licenses will be amended or rewritten in order that each solicitor from out of the city must pay a fee.

The district court recently ruled that employes of a firm which pays the $25 license fee may solicit business without additional payments. The case involved an Illinoise photo concern which came into the city and took out a corporation license and the agent then engaged solicitors who worked the city.

Bill Richards Leave

SAN BENITO—Bill Richard, who recently resigned as manager of the San Benito Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Richard left Friday for Beaumont. Richard has accepted a position as director of the convention and trade departments of the Beaumont Chamber of Commerce.

TO SAN ANTONIO

EDINBURG — Sheriff and Mrs. R. T. (Bob) Dantel are visiting in San Antonio during the week-end.

PAA LAUNCHES NEW SCHEDULE

Daily Service Starts To Latin America

BROWNSVILLE — To provide daily air transpormt and airmail services from Brownsville to Cristobal, the Canal Zone, and through to Port of Spain, Trinidad, Pan American Airways changed schedules Saturday.

The new services increase the weekly frequencies on the trunk line through Mexico and Central America by one more flight, bringing them to seven.

New Daily Service

On the north coast of South America the proposed changes represent an increase to a daily service. Cristobal to Port of Spain, compared to former four times weekly for this route. By this arrangement the whole of the trunk line of the Pan American system around the Caribbean will have a daily run and the passenger capacity on this route will be increased by more than 16 per cent.

These changes are considered more important than the routine increase in schedules they represent because they are the fulfilment of a long term program. They indicate, furthermore, that the amazing power of expansion of the system has not been diminished by war conditions but, if anything, have been even more greatly stimulated.

Recognizing the need for faster communications as a result of defense activities, the schedules on these routes have been stepped up from three weekly to seven within less than a year and a half. This means that since the war began, the total route miles flown in both directions each week over this section of Pan American Airways have increased from 20,940 to 48,960.

Receipts Gain

Postal Business Shows McAllen Increase

McALLEN—Postal receipts in McAllen for 1941 stole a march on last year with an increase of $681.87 registered for the first two months of the current years.

Total receipts so far this year are $11,400.24, an increase of $681.87 over the first two months of 1940 when $10,718.37 was noted, Postmaster Harry Merts announced Saturday.

During February of this year, $4,962.64 was collected, a rise of $128.45 over February, 1940, total of $4,834.19. Receipts in January, 1941, were $6,437.60, compared with $5,884.18 for January of last year, Merts reported.

McAllen Convention Program Completed

McALLEN — Burris Jackson of Hillboro, president of the Postmasters association of Texas, Saturday sent copies of the program on the convention to be held here March 27, 28, and 29.

The programs were received by Homer Rowe, chairman of the McAllen chamber of commerce conventions committee, and Postmaster Harry Merts.

The sessions will be held at the chamber of commerce building, with the Casa de Palmas Hotel as general headquarters.

New Braniff Hostess

MERCEDES—Miss Mary Ruth Bennett is now a full-fledged air hostess for Braniff Airways, having completed the line's required training courses at its Dallas base. She is now assigned to regular flights on Braniff's Great Lakes to the Gulf route.

Oil Supply Company Locates At McAllen

McALLEN—Harold D. Powell, Valley manager of the Mid-Continent Supply Company, rented a house in McAllen Saturday and will move his wife and daughter here within the next few days.

Mid-Continent has an oil field supply yard under construction at Sullivan City. The concern will have four employes stationed at Sullivan City, but Powell, the general manager, will maintain his headquarters in McAllen, he told the chamber of commerce. Powell said that he believed other supply companies would soon come into the Valley.

END VALLEY VISIT

HARLINGEN—Mr. and Mrs. Art Ulberg have returned to their home in Sioux Falls, S. D., after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Evans. Mrs. Ulberg and Mrs. Evans are sisters.

Willis Gray Will Join Flying Corps

EDINBURG—Willis Wayne Gray of Edinburg has been ordered to report to the naval aviation corps in Florida not later than April 15 for advanced aviation training.

Gray received a private flyer's license after completing a civilian pilot training course at McAllen. He recently returned from Pensacola, Fla., where he passed his physical examination.

Navy Recruit Home

PHARR—John Howton, graduate of Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School in the class of 1936, who has been in the Navy for the last four years, was back in Pharr this week visiting with friends. He has been stationed on the U. S. S. Oglala, a minelayer, for the last two years, with a home base of Pearl Harbor, T. H. His rank is a coxswain, which places him in charge of boats, deck seamanship, and gunnery. He starred in football and basketball at P-SJ-A high school.

Man Is Sentenced For Woman's Death

EDINBURG — Pedro Najera of Mercedes was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary by District Judge Bryce Ferguson Friday afternoon on a plea of guilty to driving while intoxicated and involuntary murder.

Najera was indicted on the latter charge in connection with the traffic death of Mrs. Chandida Garcia McVey, 55, Mercedes, near here last February 16.

Free Entertainment

BROWNSVILLE—A free entertainment program will be given for Brownsville tourists at the Presbyterian Church at 3 p.m. Monday, it was announced Friday at the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce.

ALABAMA VISITOR LEAVES

McALLEN—Mrs. Eric Gillerstedt of Dothan, Ia., returned home Friday after spending several weeks visiting her mother, Mrs. Flora B. Shea, and aunt, Mrs. A. J .McColl, in McAllen.

German Mother, 30, Boasts 11 Children

DANZIG, Germany —(AP)—Eleven children at 30 years of age is the record of Frau Margarete Bhend, wife of a laborer. She has been awarded the golden mothers' cross. Three sets of twins, all girls, and five other children make up the family. Hitler was named sponsor for the latest twins.

Coca, a narcotic plant, is widely chewed by the native population of South America.

All Offspring Of Leroy, Famed Dairy Bull Owned By The San Benito C-C, Slated For Livestock Show April 10-12

HARLINGEN — As an added feature for the Valley Fair Livestock and Poultry Show on April 10-11-12 in Harlingen, plans are being made to have on display all of the offsprings of Leroy ,the famed Dairy Bull owned by the San Benito Chamber of Commerce, according to Harry Ratliff, manager.

All of the animals on exhibit in the display will have been produced by artificial insemination which is the method of breeding followed by the Valley Dairy Improvement Association. Harvey Richards, manager of Hygeia Milk Company, is arranging for the exhibit, and estimates there are approximately one hundred animals now in the Valley eligible for the show. Contacts are being made with the owners of animals in the Valley, and Mr. Richards stated he expected a sizeable group for the show.

Officials of the Harlingen Show recently announced that Valley Dairy Day would be held on April 12, which will be in conjunction with the exhibition, and feel it will add much to the attraction features of the show. The Dairy Day is held each year in the Valley and is sponsored by the Extension Department of A. and M. College, under the supervision of E. R. Eudaley, dairyman of the college.

The premium committee has completed the list of cash awards to be offered in the various classes, and the premiums will appear in the Star early next week. Premium lists will also be mailed to cattlemen, F.F.A. Chapters and 4-H Clubs throughout the Valley, as many requests have been received by the management.

Chas. A. Washmon, president of the Fair Association, sponsers of the Show, stated that the auction sale would be emphasized and that W. T. Hodge had been appointed to be in charge of this phase. Efforts are being made now to secure a number of outstanding buyers to be present at the sale in order to assure the exhibitors the best of prices available for their animals.

Ralph Hutchins, Willacy County Agent, chairman of the Cattle Department, reports that over one hundred animals will be entered in the show from Willacy County, and estimated that at least one hundred and fifty more from other sections of the Valley will be entered, as the boys and cattlemen are interested in placing their entries where they can receive a good price. All entries must be in by April 9, Mr. Hutchins stated and must be on the grounds by 10:00 a.m. on April 10

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M'ALLEN GAS PLANT SHOWS $134 PROFIT

$1,600 Is Received In Two Months

McALLEN — Without including February receipts, net profits from the first two months of the McAllen municipal gas system's operations were $134.81, C. D. Martin, secretary of the gas board, announced Saturday.

February receipts will be published when billing to the 13 firms connected on the municipal line is completed, Martin explained.

Gross income for the first two months of operations totaled $1,-661.85. Disbursements totaled $1,-527.04 leaving a net profit of $134.81.

Largest single disbursement was $440.03, the first payment on notes totaling $14,857.30, the cost of the installation of the system. Regulators of the system at the well cost $436.25, the other major disbursement for the new firm.

Otherwise paid out to make a total of $1,527.04 was: operating labor, $100; operating supplies, $213.93; stationery and printing, $93.75; telegraph and telephone, $6.08; miscellaneous office expense, $11; and insurance premium, $226.

For gas used during December the firm received $657.45 with January business totaling $937.73. An advance payment of $66.67 by the schiol district for fuel for both the Lincoln and Junior high schools was included on money received. The advance payment was made on the school's pro-rata rate for the gas.

From now on the retirement of notes will be greater, Martin explained, since most of the disbursements were made for materials necessary to initiate operations.

Bills tendered to firms connected to the line are determined by the amount their respective gas bills were for 12 months period to their connection to the municipal system. Canning and ice plants connected municipally pay on a case basis with other firms operating on a flat rate.

Surplus Foods

Commodities Listed During March

EDINBURG—Travis S. Masterson, Hidalgo county food stamp plan representative, said Saturday that continued variety in surplus foods which will be available to families taking part in the plan was assured by the surplus designations for the March 1-31 period.

These are the surplus foods obtainable at local stores in exchange for blue surplus food stamps:

Fresh grapefruit, oranges, apples, pears, onions (except green onions), Irish potatoes, butter, raisins, rice, pork, lard, all pork (except that cooked or packed in metal or glass containers), cornmeal, shell eggs, dried prunes, hominy (corn) grits, dry edible beans, wheat flour, and whole wheat (Graham) flour.

Cafe Cook Arrested In 'Hot Check' Case

BROWNSVILLE — Preliminary hearing will be held Monday before Justice of the Peace Fred Recio for Johnny Saxon, transient cook who came here some time ago from New Mexico, and who has been arrested on a charge of forgery.

Saxon was arrested late Friday by Chief Deputy Sheriff Will Cabler, and placed in the county jail pending hearing.

The charge, filed by Cabler, alleges that Saxon forged a check in the sum of $12.50 on Mrs. C. A. Ansley of the Ansley Grill. The check was cashed at the Embassy Grill. Saxon had worked for a few days at Ansley's Grill as a cook during the Charro Days rush.

Saxon gave his age as 40.

Annual Material Sent To Printer

McALLEN—C. H. Britton, Jr., editor of the McAllen High School Annual, El Espejo, said Saturday that the final printing order and the feature section of the book will be sent to the Steck Publishing Company at Austin Tuesday.

He said the eight school favorites and the runners-up will make up the 16 pages of the second section. The third and final section will be sent off April 1.

Johnnie Suttle, co-business manager with Aileen Harding, said 275 annuals will be ordered, although only 206 have been sold.

McAllen Receives Secretary Credit

McALLEN—E. E. Chamness of Kingsville, state school inspector of district No. 24, has awarded McAllen high school an extra credit in secretarial training, Principal A. M. Weir said Saturday. Chamness visited here last February 21.

Weir said the class will meet for two periods five times a week, instead of two periods four times a week as it had previously done. The school lost a credit in Latin I and II and Spanish III because they are not taught, since there is no demand.

Rollins To Speak At Science Meet

McALLEN—Elmer Rollins, McAllen high school chemistry instructor, will speak on "The Natural Vegetation Areas of California" at the meeting of the South Texas division of the Texas Academy of Science at Edinburg April 25 and 26.

Rollins worked on the paper last summer at the University of Southern California

McAllen Prepares Program Marking Rubinoff's Visit

Rubinoff, master of the violin, is pictured here as he will appear Wednesday afternoon and night at concerts in McAllen, sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of McAllen. The hours are 3 p. m. for the matinee and 8 p. m.

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McALLEN — Ticket sales sped ahead Saturday as the McAllen Kiwanis club completed arrangements for the presentation Wednesday afternoon and night of Dave Rubinoff, nationally famous violinist, in two concerts whose proceeds will be used to aid underprivileged children.

The Kiwanians are sponsoring the event as the first major entertainment project of its kind for the community.

Reserved seats for the night performance are on sale at the Young Music store, and considerably more than half the seats in the auditorium have been taken. School students, meanwhile, are purchasing tickets for the special 3 p. m. matinee Wednesday at which they and their teachers will be admitted for 25 cents. Tickets for the matinee are in the hands of all school principals in McAllen, and in addition have been supplied to high school principals at Mission, Sharyland, Pharr-San, Juan-Alamo and Edinburg. Students from other schools may purchase them at these places or, if large groups care to attend, may call Kenneth Alley in McAllen, who will furnish them with blocks of tickets.

Clyde Hollon and J. P. King are in charge of the reserved seat sale. Both said Saturday a complete sellout was possible by Wednesday afternoon. All matinee tickets must be obtained not later than Tuesday, since they will be called in that afternoon.

Rubinoff, who will be accompanied by Solito de Solis, for years a famous European pianist, will be guest of honor at a joint meeting of Rotary, Lions and Kiwanis clubs of McAllen Wednesday at a luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel. He is due to arrive Wednesday morning. At the same luncheon, Homer L. Leonard, speaker of the state House of Representatives, will be presented with the Valley Evening Monitor plaque of 1940, emblematic of his citation as the "most valuable citizen" of McAllen during that year.

Rubinoff's appearance in McAllen will be the first he has made in this part of Texas in many years. He will go from McAllen Wednesday night to Laredo, where he is booked for a concert Thursday.

CHURCH MEET SET FRIDAY

Methodist Women To Install Officers

MISSION—Officers will be installed and an inspirational program presented for the 125 Methodist women who attend the West (Hidalgo county) Zone meeting of the organization, to be held in Mercedes Friday, March 7. Mrs. M. L. Laycock, McAllen, will be installed as president and Mrs. F. W. Dooley, Mission, as vice president and program chairman. Representatives of 10 Methodist church women's groups in the county will attend the all-day session which will be held in the First Methodist church of Mercedes, opening at 9:30 a. m.

A program has been arranged by Mrs. Dooley to include:

9:30 a. m.—Registration.

9:50 a. m.—Organ prelude, Mrs. Paul Shotwell, Mercedes; welcome, Mrs. T. J. Rippert, Mercedes. Response, Mrs. Ralph Morgan, Weslaco. Installation of officers, Mrs. J. C. Lovern, Edinburg. Business session, Mrs. M. L. Laycock, McAllen. Special number, Mercedes. Quiet meditation, Mrs. A. A. Bentsen, Mission.

Lunch—Mercedes W. S. C. S.—25 cents.

1:10 p. m.—Organ prelude, Mrs. Paul Shotwell, Mercedes. Hymn. Report of committees. Open forum, Mrs. R. S. Chambers, Donna. Presentation of Methodist women, Mrs. Elise B. Sharpe, Edinburg. Our Conference Institutions, Mrs. M. D. Bormann, McAllen. Story, selected, Mrs. E. C. Phillips, Pharr. Benediction, Rev. J. W. Allbritten, Mercedes.

President Of Chile Censured By Party

SANTIAGO, Chile—(AP)—President Pedro Aguirre Cedra drew censure from his own party Saturday as he attempted on the eve of congressional elections to conciliate dissident socialist elements in Chile's crumbling united front government.

The central committee of the radical party protested the dismissal by Aguirre of radical state social insurance directors whose actions were said to have provoked three socialist ministers to resign Friday.

Rio Grande City Man Hurt By Car

RIO GRANDE CITY—Antonio del Rio, Rio Grande City barber, was convalescing Saturday from injuries received Wednesday night when struck by a car driven by F. A. Hornaday, Jr., on Main street here.

Hornaday stopped and rendered aid. Officers said the accident was unavoidable. Del Rio sustained a broken leg and arm and several broken ribs.

RECOVERING

RAYMONDVILLE — C. E. Craig of Lyford who has been very ill is out again and receiving the good wishes of his friends on his complete recovery

U. S. OFFERS 2 POSITIONS

Constructors, Press Operators Sought

HARLINGEN—Civil Service examinations for two positions have been announced by the United States Civil Service Commission Friday. Applications will be accepted at the Commission's Washington office not later than the closing dates specified. The salaries are subject to a three and one-half retirement deduction.

Construction Superintendent

Examinations are for: Superintendent of construction, various grades, with salaries ranging from $3,200 to $5,600 a year. Qualified persons are urged to file application immediately, which will be rated as received until December 31, 1941.

The duties involve the direction of foremen, laborers and mechanics on large construction projects. Appointees will inspect materials and workmanship and organize men and materials for efficient construction operations. They must have had broad and responsible experience in general construction work including supervisory experience.

Lithograph Pressmen

Lithographic pressmen, various grades, with salaries ranging from $1,440 to $2,000 a year. The duties include operating lithographic power presses in the reproduction of maps and charts. Apprenticeship as printing pressman or practical experience in the trade is required. Closing dates are March 24 and 27, 1941, the extra time being allowed for applications sent from Colorado and states westward.

Full information as to the requirements for these examinations and application forms may be obtained from Frank Lee, secretary of the board of examiners at the postoffice in Harlingen.

Airport Caller

Business Agent Flies To Honduras

BROWNSVILLE—Howland Bancroft of New York City, who has spent most of his professional career in Latin American and European countries, passed through Brownsville airport Saturday morning on his way to Tegucigalpa, Honduras, where he will spend approximately two weeks on business.

Mr. Bancroft serves as consutant for several Latin American enterprises.

Valley Publicized In Mexican Capital

McALLEN—El Universal and Excelsior, Mexico City newspapers, carried pictures and stories on the opening of the new Reynosa-Hidalgo bridge.

Copies of the papers have been received by the McAllen chamber of commerce. The articles were written by Bill Goolsby of Mexico City, and publicized the Reynosa-Monterrey highway.

McAllen chamber officials said more persons are using the Reynosa-Monterrey highway now than ever before for this time of year.

MRS. KING LEAVES

COMBES—Mrs. A. P. King, Sr., has returned to her home in Bienneville, La., after spending several weeks here visiting in the homes of her sons, H. M. and A. P., Jr.

Heard The Latest? So Has Camp Dix

AP Feature Service

FORT DIX, N. J.—The weekly gossip sessions of the ladies' sewing circle haven't a thing on the grapevine telegraph that buzzes around Fort Dix.

Officers get headaches from scotching rumors, tracing down reports and wondering what yarn is going to start next in the fertile minds of 18,000 youths undergoing army training here.

Sometimes the stories are built up from a few unrelated facts. Take one that gained wide circulation — "We're going to Newfoundland." Division headquarters found it started because a call was issued for accomplished skiers. Actually, the men are to become instructors if and when skis are issued.

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Then there was the one, "We're being sent to Puerto Rico." Somebody in the warehouse saw a dozen light tan shirts. The dozen shirts quickly grew into full tropical uniforms for 18,000 men, with sun helmets due on the next train!

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Some of the stories excite the camp for a day, fade and then reappear in slightly altered form. Such was the "poison fang case" wherein scores of young warriors were felled by snakebite. One man was reported to have turned as blue as your denim overalls. Nobody could find him, but they say the same snake still is knocking the boys off every day out in the surrounding pinelands. In fact (so the story goes) that's why they burned off the artillery range!

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Next pops up the one about the 'flu.—"Doctors are helpless as troops drop like flies." The story persists in mess halls and barracks although almost everyone turns up for meals regularly, and Lieut. Col. Edgar F. Haines, post surgeon, insists there has been no influenza.

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Another standby is about "The Rifled Mail Pouch" or "Censorship Rears Its Ugly Head." A man in New York's 87th brigade got a letter on which "o.k." was pencilled. Immediately all incoming and outgoing mail was being "closely inspected by the authorities." Major General Clifford R. Powell, commandant of the fort and the 44th division, held a press conference to squelch that one.

A heroic bit of tattle concerns "the alert young sentry who shot down a would-be poisoner just as the water tank was being polluted." That "fifth columnist" (the stories go) has died many deaths, plunging down 125 feet from the tower, riddled and torn by pistol, rifle and machine gun bullets. Sometimes he has an accomplice who also meets a bloody end.

General Powell wishes somebody would start a rumor to end all rumors.

All Must Sacrifice For Britain's Aid, War Secretary Says

WASHINGTON— (AP) —Sacrifices on the part of all Americans will be necessary to carry out the program of assistance to Britain provided in the administration's British aid bill, is the expressed opinion of Robert P. Patterson, undersecretary of war.

"Passage of the lease-lend bill is only the start of effective aid to England," the War Department official told the Federal Bar Association here Friday night. "It is merely the enunciation of our policy."

Dallas Trade Trip To Visit In Valley

HARLINGEN—The Dallas trade trip, which will include the Valley for the first time in several years, will leave that city the night of Easter Sunday, April 13, and return to Dallas Friday night, April 19, according to word received here this week.

Good will, entertainment and renewal of business acquaintances are the principal purposes of the annual trip sponsored by the Dallas Chamber of Commerce and Dallas Manufacturers and Wholesalers Association.

Overnight stops are scheduled at Harlingen and McAllen in the Valley.

ONE-ACT PLAY HEAD CHOSEN

Irwin Will Direct District Meet

McALLEN — J. Lee Stambaugh, Pharr-San Juan-Alamo school superintendent, has appointed Don E. Irwin, McAllen high school dramatics instructor, district director of the Interscholastic League one-act play contest to be held at Edinburg the first week in April.

Irwin was graduated from the McAllen high school in 1932, was graduated from the University of Texas with a B. S. degree in education, and became a McAllen faculty members in 1939.

Schools which are eligible to enter the contest are Brownsville, Edinburg, Harlingen and McAllen, and the winners of the various county meets. McAllen's entry will be "Antic Spring," with a cast composed of Donald Blair, Grace Delamater, Fred Pierce, Johnie Earl Suttle, Kay Wharton and Mary Claire Weir. Weslaco won the county and district meets last year and second at the regional meet.

GUEST OF DAUGHTER

COMBES—Mrs. W. A. Brown of Houston is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Quincy Adams.

President Of KRGV Is Elected Head Of Broadcasting Group

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—O. L. Taylor of Amarillo, president of the Sunshine Broadcasting Company, Inc., and the Plains Radio Broadcasting Company, was re-elected to his third term as director of the National Association of Broadcasters from the 13th district Friday when 47 delegates from 22 Texas stations held their annual district meeting here.

The delegates unanimously resolved at the meeting to "pledge our positive allegiance to Broadcast Music, Inc., "the marketing and licensing organization set up to rival the American Society of Composers, authors and publishers.

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CITY WELFARE IS DISCUSSED

Regional Meeting Is Held At Edinburg

EDINBURG—Walter Whitson of Houston, director of the family welfare agency of that city, stressed the community aspects of welfare work when he addressed the region No. 7 meeting of the Texas Social Welfare Association at the First Methodist church here Saturday night.

Whitson substituted for Dr. Robert L. Sutherland, director of the Hogg Foundation, University of Texas, who was unable to attend.

The session opened at 2:30 p. m. by Mrs. Franklin W. Hughes of Weslaco, region No. 7 chairman. Rev. J. C. Lovern, Methodist pastor, gave the invocation.

Daniel Russell, head of the department of rural sociology of Texas A. and M. College and president of the association, spoke on "Basic Social Needs of Our Texas Communities." He was followed by T. Lester Swander, executive director of the Corpus Christi Community Chest, who talked on "Community Mobilization for Social Betterment."

The ladies of the Methodist church served a supper at 6:30 p. m. Hershell Hunt, managing editor of the Laredo Times, was unable to attend, as scheduled.

SON TO DOUGLAS

BROWNSVILLE—A boy weighing nine pounds, 12 ounces, was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. S. Douglas of Bryan, Texas. Mrs. Douglas is the former Helen Genevieve Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ross of Brownsville.

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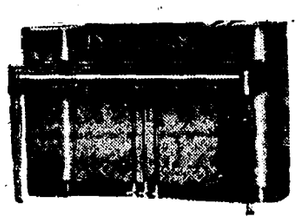
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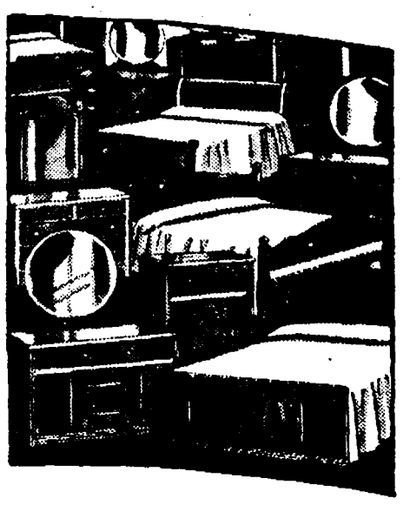
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Thousands Crowd Brownsville's Streets To See Childrens' Parade

In The Center Of The Above Air View Can Be Seen The Children's Parade In Brownsville Saturday. Note The Blocked Off Streets Where The Children's Parade Makes Turn

TOTS PARADE HELD SATURDAY

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profession, and approximately 20,000 persons saw it from the sidelines.

Streets were so packed with onlookers that a crew of Boy Scouts and a special sound truck had to be employed in an effort to move the crowds back so the marchers could have enough room to move.

Color bearers headed the procession, which left Fort Brown's main gate promptly at 2 p. m. for its downtown jaunt. Mr. Fanning was next in line, riding in a bright yellow midget car driven by a young lady attired as a Spanish matador.

The Brownsville Junior band came next, attired in China and Charo garb, followed by bearers of Mexican flags, who were roundly cheered by the enthusiastic crowd.

Matamoros College

Behind the Mexican flag bearers came the drum and bugle corps of the Colegio Mexico of Matamoros, attractive in blue and white uniforms, and followed by several hundred students of Matamoros schools.

United States and Mexican officials, including Carlos A. Calderon, Mexican consul here, and E. C. Dodd, superintendent of local public schools, marched next.

Then came Brownsville school children attired as Indians—peaceful Mayans, warlike Aztecs and doddering Little Old Men—followed by students in costumes of Spanish explorers, bullfighters and other dress typical of Spain and its history.

Their golden uniforms flashing in the sun, the 60-piece Brownsville high school Eagle band pranced by after this aggregation and was followed by more school children attired as Chinas and Charros in Mexican State costumes.

Raymondville Band

Next in line was the 60-piece Raymondville high school band, led by Ralph Davis as drum major and three twirlers — Darlene Spoonemore, June Page and Marian Kennedy.

Colorful groups of Xochimildo flower girls, Rancheros, Vendors, Peons and other Pan American types, all from Brownsville schools, followed the Raymondville band, and were in turn followed by a delegation of costumed Blalack school children.

A highlight of the parade was the 50-piece Lyford high school band in snappy blue and white uniforms. Following this musical group were students of St. Joseph's Academy, Immaculate Conception grammar school, the convent school and St. Francis school.

Adding their bit to the festivities, the quick-stepping Los Fresnos high school Falcon band was next, attired in maroon sweaters and military caps.

The parade was completed with delegations from Villa Nueva, Palm Grove, Nogales and El Jardin schools.

Mr. Fanning commended all students, teachers and others who aided in presentation of the delayed Charro Days event, declaring that "it was a demonstration of countless hours of love labor."

"We are grateful to one and all of those who helped us entertain the thousands of spectators with this brilliant spectacle, and we hope to have an even bigger and better parade for next year," he stated.

The emperor penguin is often equal in weight to a timber wolf.

Shown Above, Left To Right Are, The Drum And Bugle Corps From Collegia de Mexico of Matamoros, Officials Of Mexico And The United States And A Group Of Chinas

DRAFTING OF CITRUS LAWS IS LAUNCHED

Six Points Included In Legislation

McALLEN — E. A. McDaniel, McAllen attorney, and Sam Greer, Mission attorney, have begun drafting new citrus legislation agreed upon by committees of growers, shippers and canners at a meeting Friday night in McDaniel's office and incorporating six points which have been under discussion for some time.

Sub-Groups Named

Sub-committees of growers, shippers and canners were appointed to work with the attorneys and it was hoped that the legislation would be completed by Friday.

Owen Council is chairman of the grower committee and A. L. Cramer of the shipper committee while the canners are represented by Glen G. White, president of the South Texas Canners Association.

Six Points

The six points agreed upon were as follows:

1. Creation of an official body or citrus commission to enable the industry to regulate its own affairs.
2. Improved quality of fruit through strengthened maturity requirements.
3. A minimum price law.
4. An advertising and merchandising program to sell increased production at better prices.
5. Strengthened bonding and licensing law.
6. Standardization of containers.

Valley 'Together'

According to E. W. Linnard of McAllen, member of the legislative committee the Valley citrus industry, after years of bickering, has finally gotten together for the common good.

"The broad purpose of the program is to increase returns to growers and stabilize the entire industry," Linnard said. "With all of us forgetting our own selfish interests and working for the good of the deal we are certain to make progress."

The citrus commission being considered would be composed of practical citrus men who know Valley problems. There would be 13 members of whom seven would be growers, three shippers and three canners. Members would be nominated by each group with nominations going to the governor for appointment.

Commission Authority

The commission would have the authority to:

1. Establish rules and regulations for carrying out the intent of all citrus legislation with the commissioner of agriculture as the enforcement officer.
2. To hold public hearings or referenda on important industry problems.
3. To co-operate with government agencies and other citrus areas in developing plans to increase returns to the growers.
4. To administer laws specifically delegated to it.
5. To accumulate facts on production, processing, distribution and merchandising of citrus and to pass this information on to the growers.

New Valley Idea

As new as the citrus commission idea is to the Valley citrus area is the proposed legislation covering advertising, merchandising and a research program. To make advertising effective, it is felt that it should be supported by facts obtained through consumer research, laboratory research and group experiments to find new uses for citrus and determine medicinal values.

The plans of the three groups call for a good deal of permissive legislation, it was pointed out. Although the proposed citrus commission would have the authority to adopt a number of different policies, it could do so only with the consent of the industry as expressed at hearings or through referenda. Conditions being different each season, the industry might consider advertising or other regulations beneficial one season and not needed another season. The nature of the legislation would make it possible to adjust regulations to suit conditions, it was explained.

Loeb To Report

Hotel Man Called To Palacios Camp

HARLINGEN— E. Noel Loeb of Harlingen, a lieutenant in the Officers Reserve Corps, has been ordered to report for duty with the U. S. Army. He has been assigned to Company A, 72nd Quartermaster Battalion, and will be stationed for a year at Camp Hulen near Palacios, Texes.

Loeb, who came here in November, 1939, is comptroller for three Valley hotels, the Madison in Harlingen, the Cortez in Weslaco and the Donna in Donna. He came to the Valley from Okmulgee, Okla., where he was manager of the Parkinson Hotel. He formerly was affiliated with the LaSalle, Shoreland and Pearson hotels in Chicago.

He graduated from St. John's Military Academy in Delafield, Wis., and attended Northwestern University school of journalism. Loeb has been in the hotel business for the past 10 years.

Mrs. Noel Loeb, mother of Lieut. Loeb, who has been here a few months, plans to reside in Houston until suitable accommodations for her are located nearer her son.

MRS. MITCHELL BETTER

PHARR—Mrs. Thomas Mitchell who underwent a major operation in the McAllen City Hospital, Saturday, is reported to be doing satisfactorily.

2-Year-Old Johnny Carlisle Makes Long Plane Trip To Chicago Alone

Rejoins His Parents First Time In 18 Months Here

BROWNSVILLE — It's a long, long way to Chicago from Brownsville, but distance meant nothing Saturday to two-year-old John Carlisle, Jr., because he was going to see his parents for the first time in 18 months.

Johnny arrived at the Brownsville airport about noon Saturday accompanied by his grandmother, Mrs. W. E. Brickman of Weslaco, and right away became acquainted with Miss Alicia Romero, Braniff hostess who was hired to take care of Johnny on his long plane trip. Miss Romero is the type of young lady that any male, big or small, would like to have take care of him.

The lad's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle, Sr., were at the Chicago airport at 11:38 p. m. Saturday to get Johnny and the meeting there was a happy one.

Johnny's father works in the traffic department of the Ford Motor Car assembly plant at Hegewisch, Ill., near Chicago.

The youngster, wide-eyed and excited about his plane trip kissed his grandmother goodbye after pointing out on the map where he was going and climbed aboard Braniff Airways' noon liner for Chicago. He had just eaten before coming to the airport and when the plane arrived at Dallas about 4 p. m. he was served a meal of hot Cream of Wheat cereal, prunes and warm milk, all prepared by Braniff Airways.

The lad's grandfather was unable to come to the airport with Johnny, but he said his goodbye before they left Weslaco. His grandfather is Reverend W. E. Brickman, of the Church of New Jerusalem at Weslaco.

It may be a long time before Johnny gets back to visit with his grandparents, but it will be a long time before he forgets them and the wonderful time he had growing up in the Valley

Little Johnny Carlisle was in good hands when he left Brownsville Saturday for his first visit with his parents in 18 months. He is shown on the steps of a Braniff airliner on his way to Chicago, with Miss Alicia Romero, Braniff hostess hired by his parents to take care of the lad on the trip. He had been visiting his grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Brickman of Weslaco, for the past 18 months. (Photo by Stone.)

TEXAS-EXES ELECT ROWE

Annual Banquet Held In McAllen

McALLEN—Homer W. Rowe of McAllen was elected president of the University of Texas Ex-Students Association of the Valley, at annual association banquet held at the Casa de Palmas here Saturday night. He succeeds Menton J. Murray of Harlingen. Total of 68 were present. The 1942 banquet will be held March 2 in Harlingen.

Other officers elected included Roger Robinson of Raymondville, vice president, and Linda Gillis of McAllen, secretary. Paul Brown of Harlingen was re-elected councilman to the ex-students association.

John McCurdy, executive secretary of the Texas Ex-Students Association, was the principal speaker, talking on records and work of the association and activities at the university. Felix McDonald of Edinburg led group singing, with Mary Everhard of McAllen as accompanist. Short talks, mostly humorous and reminiscent, were given by Ty Cobb, Judge Rogers Blalock, Judge Bryce Ferguson, Paul T. Vickers and Tom L. Hartley.

Brownsville Woman Injured In Mishap

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. A. N. Para, wife of Dr. A. N. Para of the Public Health Service, sustained a compound fracture of the right leg above the ankle about 6:30 p. m. Saturday, when her sedan was in collision with a coupe driven by Claudio Ortiz, at corner of Palm boulevard and Monroe street. Both were taken to Mercy Hospital where Ortiz, a battery shop operator, was treated for head hurts.

The crash was investigated by State Highway Patrolman J. O. Musick, County Traffic Officer Zipper Lee and City Officer S. B. McCreary.

Harlingen Man Sent To Pensacola Base

HARLINGEN — Ensign D. C. Knock, son of Mrs. Charles H. Chandler of Harlingen, has been ordered to report at the Naval Air Base at Pensacola, Fla., on March 15, according to word received here Saturday.

Knock was a member of the 1932 graduating class at Annapolis, and since that time has been a member of the Naval Officers Reserve Corps. He is now commanding officer of the C.C.C. camp at Skull Creek, Colo.

McAllen Residence Ransacked Saturday

McALLEN—The home of L. B Coffen at 1922 Date Palm avenue, was ransacked between 8 and 8:30 p. m. Saturday, while Mr. and Mrs. Coffen were in town buying groceries, they reported to police here Saturday night.

Clothes, a radio, clock and camera were among articles taken, valued by Coffen at more than $150. Apparently the thieves entered by the back door. Coffen said a hole in the back screen would permit anyone to reach through and unlatch the back door. Chief of Police Noah Cannon and Constable John Bales were working on the case Saturday night.

ATTENDS CONVENTION

COMBES—W. T. Staton, Jr., went to San Antonio this week to attend a convention

WEATHER

(Official U. S. Weather Bureau Forecasts)

THE VALLEY: Considerable cloudiness Sunday; Monday occasional rains. Moderate to fresh southeast winds.

ARKANSAS: Partly cloudy, warmer in east and south portion Sunday; Monday cloudy, occasional rains, colder in north and west portion.

EAST TEXAS: Considerable cloudiness Sunday; Monday occasional rains, somewhat colder in north and west-central portion. Moderate to fresh southeast winds on the coast.

MISSOURI: Increasing cloudiness, warmer except west central portions Sunday; Monday light rain, much colder.

KANSAS: Increasing cloudiness followed by light rains west and north central, warmer north central, colder extreme west Sunday; Monday cloudy, light rain east portion, much colder.

OKLAHOMA: Increasing cloudiness, followed by light rain northwest and extreme west, colder extreme west portions Sunday; Monday cloudy, light rain east portion, much colder.

The tides for Sunday: high tides at 6:10 a.m. and 5:39 p.m. low tides at 11:57 a.m.

Sunrise Sunday 6:53 a.m. Sunset 6:32 p.m.

STATION	Highest last 24 hours	Lowest last Night	Precipitation (inches)
Abilene	68	47	.00
Albuquerque	65	35	.00
Amarillo	69	38	.00
Albany, N. Y.	21	16	.04
Atlanta	37	22	.00
Boston	35	31	.13
Chicago	29	16	.01
Cincinnati	29	16	.00
Cleveland	27	15	.00
Corpus Christi	86	44	.00
Del Rio	89	47	.00
Denver	68	44	.00
Detroit	25	11	.00
Dodge City	34	30	.00
El Paso	72	42	.00
Fort Worth	65	40	.00
Galveston	62	46	.00
Havre, Mont.	54	17	.00
Huron	30	21	.00
Jacksonville	52	28	.00
Kansas City	38	25	.00
Los Angeles	65	52	2.87
Memphis	37	25	.00
Miami	65	42	.00
Mobile	49	29	.00
Mpls. St. P.	28	17	.00
New Orleans	56	35	.00
New York City	26	20	.22
Norfolk	31	20	.06
North Platte	44	25	.00
Oklahoma City	54	35	.00
Palestine	66	40	.00
Phoenix	81	56	.00
Pittsburgh	23	10	.01
St. Louis	32	20	.00
Salt Lake City	59	30	.00
San Antonio	69	39	.00
Sheridan	63	36	.00
Shreveport	54	33	.00
Tampa	38	60	.00
Washington	27	20	.00
Williston	47	23	.00
Wilmington, N. C.	39	27	.00

Congratulations

To Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cradit on birth of a son weighing 9 pounds 3 ounces, at 3:15 a. m. Saturday at Medical Arts Clinic. The child has been named Edwin Errol.

To Mr. and Mrs. Barney McCasland on the birth of a 7-pound son at 11:44 a. m. Saturday at the Medical Arts Clinic. The boy has been named Barney, Jr.

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Harvester Strikers To Confer Monday

By The Associated Press

Strikers and the International Harvester Company management agreed Saturday to meet with Secretary Perkins in Washington Monday in an endeavor to settle a dispute holding up several million dollars' worth of defense contracts.

Plants Involved

Four plants of the company are involved in strikes, called by the CIO farm equipment workers organizing committee. The Labor Department estimated that 13,000 men are idle. Workers walked out of the huge McCormick plant at Chicago on Friday. There are strikes also at another Chicago plant and at Richmond, Ind., and Rock Falls, Ill. The union demands include recognition as collective bargaining agent for the employes and wage adjustments.

Another strike of direct interest to the government was settled during the day. CIO union employes of the Troy, N. Y., plant of Cluett, Peabody and Company, holding a $228,000 contract for army shirts, approved a new contract and voted to go back to work Monday. The new contract provides for wage increases. Strikers at company plants in Atlanta, Ga., and Leominister, Mass., were to meet later to consider acceptance of the contract for their locals.

U. S. Presses Efforts

The government, meanwhile, pressed its efforts at both Washington and Milwaukee to bring an end to the strike at the Allis-Chalmers Company plant, where work on $45,000,000 worth of defense contracts has been held up for six weeks. That strike was predicated on demands for union security, wage increases and certain seniority adjustments.

FROM OKLAHOMA

RIO GRANDE CITY — Mr. and Mrs. Omer Jefferson and son of Fairfax, Okla., were the guests of Lieutenant and Mrs. T. A. Ragan Monday and Tuesday.

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TRUCK BILL'S PASSAGE SEEN

45,000-Pound Limit Held Probable

AUSTIN — Emerging from the doldrums of many years of apathy, legislation designed to increase the truck load limit from a miserly 7,000 pounds to a probable gross of seven times that figure, appared to be facing clear sailing under the guidance of the Dirt Farmers Congress Saturday as a progressive and fairly harmonious legislature took off for the week-end.

First Break In Decade

"The outlook for a safe and sensible law giving farmers and stockmen of the state and the first fair break they have had in the past decade in getting their products to market in an economical way is most promising," Bailey B. Ragsdale, president of the Dirt Farmers Congress, who has taken the lead in the fight to place trucking limits of Texas on a par with those enjoyed by all other states of the nation, said enthusiastically Saturday after reviewing the progress of the bill in the two Houses.

The House last week, riding on the crest of a comfortable majority, set the measure fairly far down towards the home stretch with the bill retaining all scientific provisions and with a gross load limit of 35,000 pounds. A Senate committee, following a thorough hearing on all provisions of the bill, went the House one better by voting the measure out for consideration within a few days with a gross limit of 48,000 pounds. Final action before the Senate proper is expected within the next week or ten days, and its backers are confidently predicting that action will be taken not later than March 5.

Ragsdale was high in his praise of the splendid cooperation given his organization in shepherding the measure through the legislative channels and lauded the splendid leadership manifested by both House and Senate leaders and particularly the authors of the bill, Representative Lonnie Alsup, of Carthage, and Senator Rogers Kelley, of Edinburg.

From all present indications those becking the measure were confidently predicting Saturday that the measure would finally be enacted into law with a probable ceiling in excess of 45,000 pounds.

Teachers In Mexico Warned By Camacho

MEXICO CITY — (AP) — Mexican school teachers were cautioned Saturday by President Avila Camacho against "deviating" from their educational responsibilities to participate in political or syndical "battles producing discord and unrest."

The union representing the republic's 80,000 teachers has been one of the most militant in the entire country, object of charges of inculcating leftist doctrines in the schools and center of numerous strikes.

French Now Seeking More Food From US

WASHINGTON—(AP)—As reduced bread rations became effective in unoccupied France, Gaston Henry-Haye, the French ambassador, renewed efforts Saturday to obtain food from this country.

Henry-Haye discussed the question with Sumner Welles, undersecretary of State, with whom he has conducted a series of talks designed to enlist the friendly offices of the United States in having the British blockade lifted.

FLIER IS KILLED

HOUSTON—(AP)—J. G. Parrish of Houston, an amateur flier, died in the crash of an airplane 50 miles north of here Friday.

FATHER IS ILL

RAYMONDVILLE — Mrs. Jack Wrigley was called to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Veiss in Caldwell this week because of the illness of her father.

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The excitement was just too much for Ginger Rogers (left) when she was named the movies' champion actress for 1940 for her characterization of "Kitty Foyle," so she broke down in tears over her "Oscar" (foreground) when she got back to her table at the Motion Picture Academy Awards banquet in Hollywood. Her mother, Mrs. Leila Rogers (center), was also at the weepy stage, as Davil Hempstead, her producer, tried to soothe both happy women.

Texans Will Celebrate Independence Sunday At Washington-On-Brazos

BRENHAM—(AP)—On the sacred soil where illustrious forefathers gathered 105 years ago to declare a new and independent Texas republic, a band of Texans will gather Sunday to celebrate.

Storied, historic old Washington-On-The-Brazos with its replica of the wind-torn blacksmith shop where frontiersmen declared Texas' independence on March 2, 1836, is the site.

Descendants of the founding fathers, state officials and dignitaries and just plain Texans come to pay homage will throng the grounds.

Special tribute will be paid Richmond Ellis, chairman of the 1836 convention, by Federal Judge James V. Allred, Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel will speak on "The Challenge of March 2, 1836."

The descendants of the signers of the Texas Declaration of Independence will gather in the blacksmith shop for an annual meeting and the declaration will be read by Mrs. Joseph Weyland Dollarhide, granddaughter of Richard Ellis.

Following the luncheon concert by the Brenham band, the Blinn college aviation class will give a flight demonstration.

School children from various sections of the state will gather for a mass singing bee in the afternoon.

The Noted Bengal Gards of Orange will perform: the 197th Regiment, Coast Artillery Anti-Aircraft Unit, will be presented and the Brenham high school band will play.

M'ALLEN TAX RECEIPTS UP

Both City And School Report Jumps

McALLEN — Increases in February tax collections on 1940 taxes over the prior year were reported Saturday by officials of the school and city tax offices as the two per cent penalty on the past year's taxes went into effect.

City tax collections for 1940 during February reached $15,137.92, an increase of $6,017.99 over collections of 1939 taxes during the same month last year when collections totaled $9,119.93. Total city collections in February were $17,540.90 to show a rise of $6,033.44 over the same month last year when total collections were $11,507.46.

School district collections on 1940 taxes during February were $3,820, an increase of $100.70 over collections on 1939 taxes in February, 1940, which were $3,729.30.

Collections on delinquent taxes in the school district fell during February, M. E. Stone, clerk of the board, reported, declaring the district intended to open a campaign to press collections of delinquencies during coming months. Delinquent tax collections during February, 1940, totaled $4,642.11 with the past month listing $1,435.26, Stone reported. The decrease was $3,206.85, Stone said.

Alfonso Returns In Death To His Realm

MADRID—(AP)—Former King Alfonso XIII is expected to return in death to the realm he fled a decade ago, a voluntary exile.

Under a decree to be issued by Generalissimo Francisco Franco, permission will be granted to bury the ex-monarch in the Royal pantheon at Escorial, traditional burial place of Spanish kings. The mausoleum is 31 miles from Madrid.

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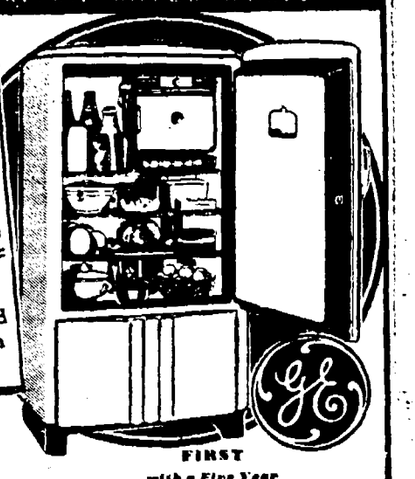

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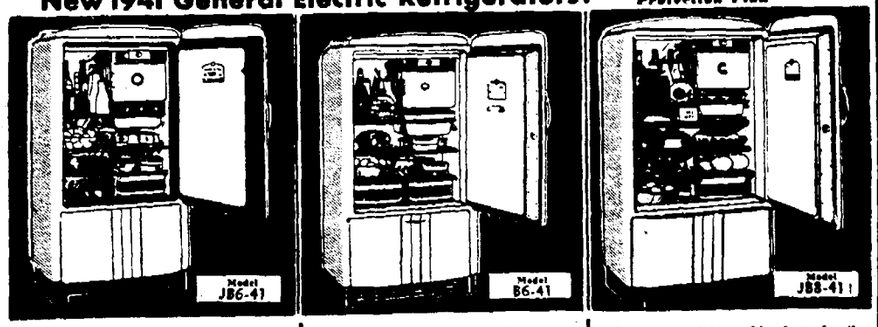

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SPORTS

Page 10 — E. C. "DOC" OSBORN, Sports Editor — Sunday, March 2, 1941

By E. C. Doc OSBURN

Busy Times Ahead

Whether you know it or not, there are busy times ahead for all you sports fans.

First off there is the meeting of the Rio Grande Valley Golf Association to be held Monday night at the Brownsville Country Club. At this gathering plans will be completed which should make of the organization one that will insure the future of golf in the Valley. Every golfer in this section is invited to attend this "Dutch Treat" affair.

There will be so much going on Monday, March 10, that we hate to mention it for fear some of you will just throw up your hands and stay home—all because you can't be at several places at the same time.

On that day, the spring training camps will open at Harlingen, San Benito and Brownsville. This means that you fans have quite a job on your hands if you decide you would like to see the first day of spring training at each of the three camps.

On Sunday, March 16, the first exhibition games of the season will be played with the San Antonio Missions meeting the Toledo Mud Hens at Harlingen and the Fort Worth Cats going against a Brownsville team at Brownsville. From this date on for a month you will have the opportunity of seeing plenty of games including those in which the St. Louis Browns and Boston Bees will be a part.

To make Monday, March 10, a day for the Valley to remember, Miss Patty Berg and Miss Betty Jameson will be matched against each other in a foursome with two South Texas women shotmakers. The opportunity to see in action the nation's two leading feminine golfers is a treat that should certainly not be passed up.

Valley high school baseball teams will furnish fans with plenty of action also, the 1941 schedule getting under way March 11. Ten Valley schools will send their nines after the Valley title and the right to go higher in state play.

March 14 is the date set aside for the annual Donna Relays. This even has long been a popular one and the thinly clads furnish plenty of thrills for track and field fans.

For the basketball addict, the tournament for independent Valley quintets is under way at San Benito and on playing nights there is enough court action to please anyone.

Monday afternoon at the Harlingen municipal course, the women golfers of South Texas will stage an elimination tournament to determine the players who will play in the foursome with Miss Berg and Miss Jameson with the two posting the lowest gross scores receiving the honors.

And who knows we may have overlooked several other sports events. If we did, jump all over us.

And just as a reminder—the Border Olympics will be held at Laredo, Friday, March 7. It is our understanding that quite a number of Valley track men will see action there.

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Major League Games

There seems to be a bit of confusion over the schedule of exhibition games to be played in the Valley this spring—at least where the major league teams are concerned.

Just to keep the record straight, we pass on the following:

March 19—Boston Bees vs. Fort Worth at Brownsville.

March 20—Boston Bees vs. Toledo at Harlingen.

March 21—Boston Bees vs. San Antonio at San Benito.

March 26—St. Louis Browns vs. Fort Worth at Brownsville.

March 27—St. Louis Browns vs. Toledo at Harlingen.

March 28—St. Louis Browns vs. San Antonio at San Benito.

From this schedule it can be seen that Brownsville, San Benito and Harlingen will each play host to two major league ball clubs.

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Tough Loss

Rio Grande Valley basketball fans are right proud of the fine showing Coach Bob Jackson's Brownsville Eagles made in the regional cage tournament at Kingsville.

Just two points separated the Eagles and the Laredo quintet when the final whistle blew and that is the kind of loss that hurts. If you take a real trimming it doesn't hurt nearly as bad.

And when one stops to consider that the 1941 Eagle cagers brought the Brownsville high school its first district basketball championship, they deserve some extra congratulations.

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Some Advice

Note to high jumpers:

When you come to a fence, don't jump! Use the nearest gate or crawl under.

That's the advice of Captain Walter Arrington of the Michigan State track team. Arrington, ace high jumper, didn't even hesitate when he came to a fence recently, went right up and over.

But he suffered a severely twisted ankle that threatens to keep him far below top form this year—may even cost him a year of competition.

M. Jennings Taking Over As Director

Athletic Council Is Optimistic

LUBBOCK—(AP)—Two silvery veterans of big-time football—Morley Jennings and Dell Morgan—Saturday were named the shepherds of Texas Tech's football flock.

The board of directors unanimously named Jennings, recently resigned head coach at Baylor University, and Morgan, recently resigned line coach of Rice Institute, as athletic director and head coach, respectively.

The new combination, a combination Tech secretly hopes will lay foundation for entrance into the Southwest Conference, replaces Peter Willis Cawthon and Dutchy Smith, the tech coaching team that resigned several weeks ago because, they said, of certain athletic policies.

Jennings will take over June 1 under a two-year contract. He will also serve as professor and head of the department of physical education. Morgan, who coached at Tech in 1935 and resigned to go to Auburn, received a three-year contract starting March 1. He is expected to start spring drills within a few days.

The board also appointed George Berl Huffman assistant varsity football coach and varsity basketball mentor. Huffman resigned along with Cawthon and Smith, but the board rejected his resignation and gave him a promotion. His basketball team recently trimmed the National AAU champions, the Phillips Oilers. Huffman received a two-year contract.

Walker Nichols, guard on the 1935 Tech team and recently at Lubbock high school, was named freshman football and basketball coach and varsity track tutor on a two-year contract. G. C. Powell, former graduate manager, was named assistant to Jennings under a one-year contract.

Lewis (Doc) Spears, former Tech grod immortal, was named an instructor of physical education and trainer of the varsity teams.

W. L. Stangel, chairman of the athletic council, said the group had been selected from a field of 141 applicants and expressed the belief "Tech's athletic future is most promising under these men."

Cage Results

Arkansas 41, Southern Methodist 32
Rice 73, Texas 64
Cornell 33, Princeton 27
Northwestern 45, Iowa 36
Illinois 52, Chicago 33
Wisconsin 42, Minnesota 32
St. Louis U. 28, U. of Tulsa 44
Kansas 55, Nebraska 53
U. of Detroit 36, Marquette 33
Amherst 46, Williams 22
New York U. 78, Rutgers 55
Columbia 36, Harvard 18
Yale 48, Manhattan 44
Creighton 65, Drake 57
Penn State 36, Pitt 21
Lafayette 47, Lehigh 45
North Dakota State 51, North Dakota U. 39
Wayne 47, Hastings 37
West Virginia 65, Carnegie Tech 39
Oklahoma Aggies 41, Washington U. (St. Louis) 17
Central (Okla.) State 35, Northeastern (Okla) State 25
Ohio State 45, Michigan 37
Michigan State 44, Notre Dame 35
Indiana 47, Purdue 29
Iowa State 36, Kansas State 33
Dartmouth 65, Pennsylvania 57
Baylor 53, Texas A. and M. 39
Texas Tech 49, Hardin Simmons 31
Oklahoma Baptist U 35, Southwestern (Okla.) State 24
Syracuse 47, Colgate 41
Boston U 55, Brown 49
Rhode Island State 98, Providence College 71
Washington and Jefferson 44, Waynesburg 32

4-Ball Tourney To Start Today

CORAL GABLES, Fla. — (AP) — Birdies are apt to come mighty cheap when 32 of the best professionals in the golf business start fighting it out Sunday, in the $5,000 International Four Ball tournaments.

Four ball play lets the pros take long chances, so spectacular shots are sure to be flying all over the Miami Biltmore course.

The 1939 winners—Sam Snead and Ralph Guldahl—will be favored to regain the trophy as a result of their scores in the St. Petersburg tournament this week.

San Benito Kiwis Planning Softball

SAN BENITO — The Kiwanis Club's athletic committee is attempting to organize a softball league this spring and a survey is being made to determine if fans prefer to see games in Kiwanis park or on the old field, northeast of town.

The committee is also anxious to sponsor a girls' team and anyone desiring to play here or from surrounding towns are asked to contact Othel Bigham, chairman; Adolph Thomae or Bill Collins.

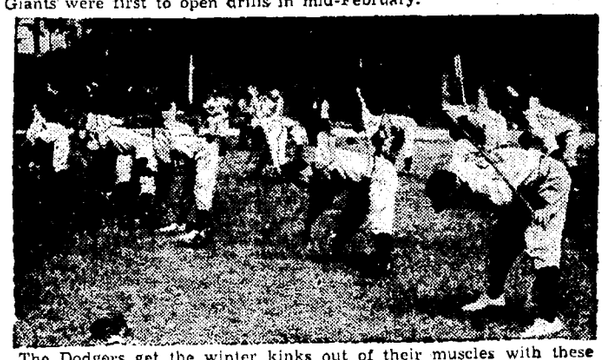
Bigham said Saturday that it is hoped that Rio Hondo, Los Fresnos and Port Isabel would take part again this year in the men's league and possibly sponsor girls' teams, too.

Three Germans have patented a newspaper type cast from synthetic resins.

FIRST SIGNS OF SPRING

AP Feature Service

IT'S SPRING training time for major league baseball players. The veterans are busy getting in shape for another season while the rookies are doing their best to catch the manager's eye and grab a job on the Big Show. The Brooklyn Dodgers and the New York Giants were first to open drills in mid-February.



The Dodgers get the winter kinks out of their muscles with these limbering-up exercises at Tropical Park in Havana.

Joe Medwick, who hopes to win the National League batting crown, rounds the bases after hitting one in a practice tilt.

Fred Fitzsimmons, veteran pitcher, hits fungoes to the outfield. Fred's conditioning was slowed up by a sore ankle.

The Dodgers have their cheering section, too. They are Helen Fitzsimmons (left), Mrs. Joe Medwick, Nellie Durocher, Mrs. Kirby Higbe, Mrs. Fred Fitzsimmons and Mrs. Leo Durocher.

The Giants are doing their training at Miami. Much of the Giants' success next season depends on tall pitcher Cliff Melton (right), who is chatting with Manager Bill Terry.

Monte Alto Team Wins Bantam Softball Title

LA VILLA—Pounding out a win over Progreso in the final game, Monte Alto won the first annual La Villa Bantamweight Softball tournament here Friday and with the victory a handsome trophy.

Twelve teams participated in the tourney, La Villa "A," Elsa Latin-American, Elsa Elementary, Progreso, Mercedes, Monte Alto, South Palm Gardens, Edcouch Elementary, North Palm Gardens, La Villa "B," Valley View and Edcouch Latin-American. La Villa, Progreso, Monte Alto and Edcouch Latin-American fought their way to the semi-finals.

Outstanding players, selected by the coaches of the various teams, were: Elmo Dean Wade, outfielder, Elsa Elementary; Veldon Houts, outfielder, Monte Alto; and Reynaldo Garza, La Villa.

B. R. Fraser, La Villa, director of the tournament, stated that the success of event indicated that more teams would enter next year.

Scotch Tourney Is Postponed

BROWNSVILLE—Due to the unsettled weather condition, the regular monthly Scotch tournament, scheduled to be played at the Brownsville Country Club Sunday, has been postponed one week, Claud Liston, manager, has announced.

All players planning to enter the tournament are requested to form their foresomes as soon as possible and file their entries here or at the Harlingen municipal course.

Pairings and teeing off times will be announced in the Star-Monitor-Herold next Sunday.

RIGGS WINS

JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—(AP)—Top-seeded Bobby Riggs of Chicago pulled out of a hole Saturday to defeat Jack Kramer of Los Angeles 8-6, 1-6, 6-4 in the Southeastern tennis tournament's semi-finals.

William Talbert of Cincinnati took Gardner Larned apart 6-1, 6-2. Riggs and Talbert meet in the finals at the Riverside Tennis Club Sunday.

Porkers Win Final Game Of Season

Chalk Up Twelfth Victory In Row

By RICHARD WEST

DALLAS—(AP)—Arkansas' champion Razorbacks fought off a stubborn Southern Methodist basketball team here Saturday night to win their 12th conference victory in a row, 41 to 32.

The victory gave Arkansas its second perfect season in history. A great 1928 team, featuring Schoonover, Rose and Pickel, also had a perfect season.

The Razorbacks' eleven field goals and nineteen free throws gave them a new conference scoring record—a total of 646 points against 607 scored by Rice last season.

But their ace, Johnny Adams, the jumping jive from Beebe, failed to become the new all-time Southwest scoring king.

Guarded closely by Rusty Baccus, little brother of Southern Methodist's coach, Whitey, Adams made only one field goal—and that three minutes before the game ended. Eight free throws gave him a total of ten points for the evening.

His season's total of 206 fell short by four points of equalling the great mark set in 1938 by Hub Kirkpatrick of Baylor.

S.M.U. started fast on field goals by Lloyd and Keith and led 8-4 at the end of the first ten minutes. Then Hickey and Frieberger started slipping under the basket for crip shots and Arkansas pulled ahead 17-12, three minutes before the half ended.

Keeton, fighting, red-faced Pony guard who played a marvelous game, found holes between Frieberger and Pitts under the basket and scored two field goals just before the half ended with the score 18-16, Arkansas.

Frieberger was the game's high scorer with 12 points.

The box score:

Arkansas	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Tps.
J. Adams f	1	8	2	10
Carpenter f	2	4	4	8
Robbins f	0	0	1	0
Fricberger c	5	2	2	12
O. Adams c	0	0	0	0
Pitts g	1	3	4	5
Hickey g	2	1	0	5
Wynne g	0	1	1	1
Mitchell g	0	0	0	0
Totals	11	19	14	41
S.M.U.	**Fg.**	**Ft.**	**Pf.**	**Tps.**
Sebeck f	1	4	2	6
Keith f	1	1	4	3
Baccus f	1	1	4	3
Clements f	0	0	0	0
Wilkerson c	0	1	1	1
Welch c	2	1	3	5
Keeton g	3	1	1	7
Lloyd g	2	3	3	7
Totals	10	12	18	32

Score at half—Arkansas 18, Southern Methodist 16.

Free throws missed: J. Adams, Wynne, Keith, Welch, Lloyd.

Officials: Sears and Bushman.

Baylor's Bears Defeat Aggies

WACO —(AP)— Baylor's hustling Bears closed their 1941 Southwest Conference basketball season here Saturday night with a 53 to 39 win over Texas A. and M.

The Bruins got off to a fast start. Terry started things rolling with a short crip shot and with Vaughn and Parks chipping in, grabbed a 16 to 6 lead midway in the first half. Nabors came through with two straight baskets to send the Aggies up, 15 to 22, but the Bruins spurted again to take a 28 to 17 lead at the intermission.

Jack Wilson turned in a fine defensive game to hold Bill Henderson to no field goals during the first half and when he went out after two minutes of the second period, the Aggies started moving, behind Henderson and Lang, to pull up within one point of the Bears, 29 to 28 before Vaughn and Parks started sending the ball through the basket to get 42 to 32 margin with ten minutes left to play.

From then on, the Cadets never had a chance.

Dwight Parks led the scorers with 13 points while Henderson was high for the Aggies with 11.

The score:

Baylor (53)	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Tps.
Parks f	6	1	0	13
Terry f	2	0	0	4
Walters f	2	0	1	4
Bryski c	2	4	4	8
Frivaldsky c	3	2	2	8
Wilson g	1	0	4	2
Vaughn g	6	0	1	12
Belew g	1	0	3	2
Totals	23	7	15	53
A. and M. (39)	**Fg.**	**Ft.**	**Pf.**	**Tps.**
Jarratt f	4	0	0	8
Lang f	1	1	3	3
Cokinos f	1	1	2	3
Dawson c	2	1	3	5
Nabors c	2	1	0	5
Dwyer g	2	0	1	4
Henderson g	4	3	1	11
Klutz g	0	0	2	0
Totals	16	7	12	39

Score at half: Baylor 28, Texas A. and M. 17.

Patty And Betty Are Scheduled For Exhibition Match March 10

BETTY JAMESON

PATTY BERG

HARLINGEN—Rio Grande Valley golf addicts have quite a treat in store for themselves at the Harlingen municipal course, Monday afternoon, March 10.

Miss Patty Berg of Minneapolis, holder at one time or another, of just about every women's golf title, and Miss Betty Jameson of San Antonio, who can also lay claim to just about every golf honor, will oppose each other in a foursome with two South Texas women shotmakers.

For several years, Patty and Betty have been rivals at golf and each has been forced to congratulate the other several times. Patty recently turned pro but Betty is still listed as an amateur. For this reason they can only meet in an exhibition match but the old rivalry remains as intense as it ever was when both were shooting at various championships.

In order to determine the other two members of the foursome that will play here March 10, an elimination tourney will be played here Monday, March 3, with the two entrants posting the lowest gross scores gaining the honors. Every woman shotmaker in South Texas is invited to play in this elimination tournament, Walden Haynes, Harlingen course manager and pro, has announced.

Miss Berg will give an exhibition of shots and stage a golf clinic the day of the match but the definite hour has not been set for plans are under way for the school age golfers of the Valley to witness this clinic. Since turning pro, Miss Berg has devoted her entire time and energy teaching young people how to play golf and since she is little more than a youngster herself, she knows exactly how to do it.

A luncheon in honor of Miss Berg and Miss Jameson will be held at the Madison Hotel here at 11:30 a. m., March 10, and the public is invited. The price per plate is 50 cents and those intending to attend must register at the local club house no later than March 9 so that proper provision may be made.

Region Tourneys Send Quints To State Meet

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Staff

The San Marcos Rattlers, gathering momentum in the stretch, drove into the state schoolboy basketball play-off for the second straight year Saturday night by capturing the regional title and thus becoming strong favorites to again win the Interscholastic League championship.

San Marcos, loser only to Austin high in the practice schedule, raced over Jefferson (San Antonio) 42-30 for the Region 6 crown, and along with seven other title teams will go to Austin next weekend for the state tournament.

Joining San Marcos in the battle for the championship will be Pampa, Abilene, Waco, Mount Vernon, Jeff Davis (Houston), Bloomington and El Paso High.

San Marcos was one of three of last year's regional titlists to repeat. Abilene came through in region 2 for the third time in four years, and El Paso's Tigers, last season's state runners-up, won in Region 8.

San Marcos defeated Lockhart 24-15 and Jefferson defeated Lytle 37-22 in first round games of Region 6. San Marcos led all the way to beat the San Antonio team handily, with Coers, a member of last year's state championship outfit, setting the pace with 13 points.

Pampa's Harvesters won the Region 1 title with a 34-22 victory over Lubbock's Westerners. Pampa reached the finals with a 26-20 decision over Quail and Lubbock got there by beating Amarillo 29-26.

Abilene had to rally in the last quarter to turn back San Angelo 25-20 for the Region 2 crown. And two players—Gene Dalton and J. E. Smith—scored all of Abilene's points, Dalton with 14 and Smith with 11.

A free throw in the last half-minute gave Waco the Region 3 championship over Sunset (Dallas) 36-35. Waco showed a well-balanced and heads-up team, taking out Burkburnett's high ranked Eagles 57-36 in the semi-finals before beating Sunset's brilliant quintet for the title.

Mount Vernon's unbeaten Tigers rang up their thirtieth consecutive victory in winning the Region 4 championship with a 32-23 victory over Van's widely-heralded outfit. The Tigers broke a 16-all tie after trailing most of the first half, and from then on Mount Vernon had little trouble. Davey Newsome sparked his six-foot teammates with brilliant floor work.

Jeff Davis' mighty Panthers—long a favored team among the top-rated—had only a minimum of difficulty in capturing the Region 5 title, crushing Addicks' Steers 47-21 in the finals. Ed Kelly, Davis center, whipped in 16 points to lead the attack. Davis had staged a garrison finish in the semi-finals to beat out Beaumont 31-29.

Bloomington won the Region 7 championship by the unbelievable score of 21 to 7 over Laredo. Games in which a team makes fewer than ten points have been scarce for several years, what with the emphasis on offense. Bloomington had nosed out Robstown 23-22 to reach the finals.

El Paso was not extended in beating Imperial 35-19 for the region 8 title, but the Tigers had run into trouble in the semi-finals against the hitherto unbeaten Odessa Brones. The Bengals managed to eke out 24-23.

NAMED CHAIRMAN

RAYMONDVILLE—Stanley Addington has been named Raymondville chairman for the annual membership drive of the Civic Music Association of the Valley.

The drive will start Monday morning, March 3rd. A dinner for workers will be held at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel in Harlingen on Monday evening at 7:30.

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Teams Hang Up New Scoring Record

HOUSTON—(AP)—Rice Institute's Owls defeated the University of Texas, 73 to 64, here Saturday night as the two teams wore out the Southwest Conference total scoring record for a game and practically wore out the basket nets.

Frankie Carswell, Owl guard, easily outclassed Udell Moore of Texas, scoring 19 points as his part in the 137 total of the game, 16 points more than the old record set by Rice and Texas A. and M. here last season. Moore held Carswell to a single point the first time the teams met.

Rice led 37 to 27 at the half, but had to stand off a threatening Texas rally in the last period. Texas pulled up to 59 to 64 with three minutes of the game remaining, but Rice pulled away again and won easily.

The victory cinched second place for the Owls, who also broke their conference season's scoring record. Rice made 645 points in 1941 compared to their 607 last year.

The box:

Rice	Fg.	Ft.	Tps.
Closs f	4	6	14
Pepper f	1	0	2
Lambert f	0	2	2
Palmer f	4	0	8
Qinney c	7	2	16
Carswell g	7	5	19
Selman g	4	4	12
Totals	27	19	73
Texas	**Fg.**	**Ft.**	**Tps**
Granville f	5	3	13
Cooley f	3	1	7
Nelms f	2	2	6
Sander f	5	0	10
Houpt c	3	0	6
Hull g	7	1	15
Moore g	1	3	5
Croucher g	1	0	2
Kulner g	0	0	0
Totals	27	10	64

Officials—Jack Cisco and Doc Hayes.

Personal fouls—Closs 4, Palmer 2, Pepper, Lambert, Kinney, Carswell 2, Selman 2, Granville 4, Cooley 3, Nelms 2, Houpt 2, Hull 4, Moore 4, Sanders 3.

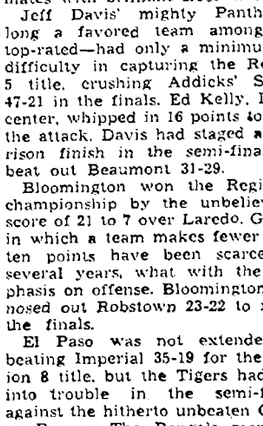
Free throws missed—Closs, Palmer, Kinney 3, Carswell 2, Selman 2, Nelms, Moore 2.

Half-time score—Rice 37, Texas 27.

Miss Cothran Wins In South Atlantic

ORMOND BEACH, Fla. — (AP) — Overcoming a jinx of long standing, Jane Cothran of Greenville, S. C., won the South Atlantic women's golf tournament Saturday with a 5 and 4 victory over Mary Agnes Wall of Menominee, Mich., in the finals.

In four previous attempts, Miss Cothran never got beyond the semi-finals of the South Atlantic.



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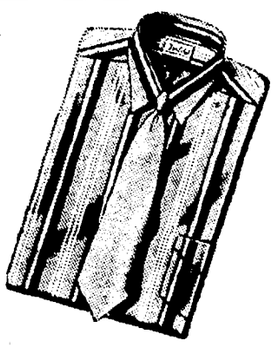

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Rank Outsiders Gallop Home In Two Rich Racing Classics

Bay View Is Winner At Santa Anita

Big Pebble Stunner At Hialeah

By ROBERT MYERS

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—Bay View, 50 to 1 shot, shook off the challenge of the mighty Mioland and the rest of the brilliant field and sped on through the mud to score a smashing upset victory in the $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap Saturday.

Holding off the stretch charge of the heavily backed Mioland, and snapping the winning streak of millionaire Charles S. Howard, Bay View, carrying the racing silks of Mrs Anthony Pelleteri, of New Orleans, rushed over the finish line a neck in front of the Oregon bay.

Bolingbroke, another long shot owned by Townsend B. M. Martin of New York, ran a startling third, while William L. Brann's Challedon, second to Mioland in the betting, trailed far back in the pack.

Bay View broke first and was never headed in this mile and one quarter battle over a track that was shiny as a mirror and almost as slippery.

Overshadowed in pre-race predictions by the Howard entry of Mioland and Porter's Cap, by the mighty Marylander, Challedon, Can't Wait, Fairy Chant and the remainder of the starting field of sixteen, Bay View paid off at the largest figure in the seven year old history of this classic—$118.40 to win, $26.20 to place and $9.80 to show.

The sun played hide and seek with storm clouds throughout the afternoon as a throng of 50,000 turf fans turned out for the event but just as the Handicap array came on the track for the parade to the post, Old Sol disappeared behind a cloud bank. It could have served as a warning to lucky Charley Howard that he would find no rainbow and a pot of gold at the end of it this afternoon.

Winner of the Santa Anita Handicap for two consecutive years first with Kayak II and last year with the gallant Seabiscuit, Mioland was the even money choice.

Bay View fairly flew out of the gate, and was leading in a battle with Louis B. Mayers Beautiful II, Hysterical, Woof Woof and Sweepida as they raced down in front of the grandstand.

The plucky Nick Wall kept Bay View in front as they rounded the clubhouse turn, with Sweepida and Porter's Cap taking up the chase close behind and Mioland trailing ninth.

Mioland, with Jockey Buddy Haas aboard, made his move at the far turn, passing Porter's Cap, and the flying California-bred Sweepida. Bay View clung to the pace, however, and it was Bay View and Mioland in the duel for the big prize—$89,360.

Mioland, on the outside, charged up, but Wall gave Bay View another stroke with the whip and he swept on across. Four lengths back came Bolingbroke, while Walter Hoffman's Royal Crusader, took over fourth place.

Mioland paid $3 and $2.60, and Bolingbroke $6.40.

Wall, in scoring the victory, became the first jockey to win two of these Santa Anita Handicaps. He piloted Stagehand to an unexpected victory in 1938.

A total of $388,467 was wagered on the feature — more than the $382,702 wagered on the race in 1940.

Bay View had won but $7,785 in past performances. Saturday's upset built his winnings to $97,145.

By GAYLE TALBOT

MIAMI, Fla.—(AP)—It was just as well that old Col. E. R. Bradley was too ill to come over to Hialeah Park Saturday, for the master of Idle Hour Farm would have seen his beloved Bimelech shut out in the $50,000 Widener Cup race—beaten by a Bradley castoff and two others.

The winner of the classic before a dazed crowd of 21,500 was Big Pebble, bred by Bradley and sold just over a year ago to Mr. and Mrs. Ed S. Moore of Sheridan, Wyoming, for $5,000.

In beating his stablemate, Get Off, by a head in a roaring finish, Big Pebble Saturday returned $51,800 on the investment and must have nearly broken old Colonel Bradley's heart.

Bimelech, the top-heavy favorite, never reached the front as the field of 14 fought it out for a mile and a quarter. This was the race he was to have won to cap his brilliant career before his retirement to the breeding farm. The only time he even threatened was just before the turn into the stretch, when he moved into second place, a neck back of the leader at that stage, Cherry Jam.

As they entered the stretch Get Off was in front, and he clung to his advantage until about 40 feet from the finish, when Jockey George Seabo pushed Big Pebble past his stablemate to win. Get Off was a length ahead of Haltal, which completed the humiliation of Bimelech by racing past him in the final 16th.

The crowd, chilled by a cold north wind, was so certain of Bimelech's victory that it set a betting record for a single race in Florida—$160,878—and if Bim had won he wouldn't have paid peanuts. Big Pebble paid $34.60 each to the delighted few who held $2 tickets on him.

This was Bimelech's 15th race, and Saturday was the first time he failed to place.

Get Off paid a handsome $26.50 for finishing second, and Haltal $4.00 for the show. Big Pebble's time was 2:02 4/5, a second slower than the Hialeah track record.

BASEBALL HEARS THE BUGLE . . . . . By Phil Berube

Training Camp Chatter

HAVANA—(AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers humbled the New York Giants again Saturday, 10 to 5, with a four-run outburst in the first inning and a five-run flurry in the seventh.

Herman Franks, Brooklyn's third-string catcher hit a triple and three singles Saturday while rookie Kemp Wicker monopolized pitching honors by holding the Giants to three hits and no runs for four innings.

SARASOTA, Fla.—(AP)—Ted Williams, missing holdout outfielder of the Boston Red Sox, has been given a few more days to consider his 1941 contract, Manager Joe Cronin learned Saturday in a telephone conversation with General Manager Eddie Collins.

ORLANDO, Fla.—(AP)—Manager Bucky Harris Saturday ordered double drills daily for the Nationals. He divided his 44 players into two sections, turning over the morning to the regulars and the afternoon to the rookies.

FT. MYERS, Fla.—(AP)—A team of still-hopeful Cleveland rookies opens spring training intra-squad competition Sunday by taking on the near-champions of 1940.

TAMPA, Fla.—(AP)—The month of March brought Eddie Joost into the Cincinnati Reds camp like a lamb Saturday and he deserted the holdout ranks and signed that paper.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—(AP)—Runing his squad through strenuous workouts, Manager Billy Southworth of the St. Louis Cardinals appeared pleased Saturday over the physical condition of the 32 players in camp.

Infielder Eddie Lake has signed his contract, it was announced.

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Manager Fred Haney said Saturday the Browns would not go in for the customary squad practice games until the regular exhibition contests are started.

AVALON, Calif.—(AP)—The mystery of the missing pitcher was solved Saturday when Claude Passeau, No. 1 Chicago Cub hurler, arrived in spring training camp three days late.

Passeau dismissed his tardiness with the brief explanation that "I had some unfinished business to attend to."

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—(AP)—Five more players donned New York Yankee uniforms Saturday to participate in a three-hour workout which Manager Joe McCarthy insisted upon in spite of 45-degree temperature and a stiff breeze.

The additional players included George Selkirk and John Murphy, both of whom signed contracts Friday.

Highland Park's Coach Smiles Over Track Team

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF

DALLAS—(AP)—Pounding feet on cinders are playing a symphony sweet to the ears of Floyd Remington Hightower.

They say "championship, championship," as Highland Park's mighty men of the track whirl toward record-smashing marks.

Unlike most coaches, Hightower not only is optimistic privately but he lets the sport writers in on it.

"I think we have an excellent chance of repeating with the state high school championship," he said as he looked over some of the times and distances of his veteran team.

Last spring the Scotties scored 13 points to win the state title and bring to Highland Park its first major championship. Of that illustrious team Ralph Schrimpf, the clinch runner in the half mile and relay, has moved on.

But Larry Wolf, winner of the most thrilling quarter mile race in history—least as far as Hightower was concerned—is back, and along with him are four crack relay runners, a fine half-miler and a pole vaulter due to go places.

Wolf, Hightower thinks, should come mighty close to smashing the state record in the 440-yard dash, a matter of 49 seconds. Wolf won at the state meet last season, running it in 50 seconds against the wind. He had made the event in under 50 several times prior to that.

Then, Hightower believes his mile relay team should be tops with Wolf, Tommy Winn, Alex Page, Jimmy Sells and Layden Stroude, all veterans. Port Arthur had to break the record at Austin to beat out Winn, Page, Schrimpf and Wolf.

Wolf this year will run the 100, 440 and relay. He is a 10.1 second man in the century dash.

Other bright spots are Bill Hannum's work in the pole vault, Winn in the half mile and Dick Duemler in the middle distances.

Hannum, who came here from California, already has made 11 feet 6 inches in the pole vault this season.

Duemler, ineligible last year, is a 52-second quarter-miler and a star in the 220-yard dash.

Winn ran the half mile in 2:08 in 1940 and Hightower looks for him to get it down to two minutes this season.

Hightower expects rugged competition in his own region, what with Sunset (Dallas) turning up with some high class hurdlers and dash men.

And he finds Brady, the 1939 champion, back with five lettermen and a menace to his hopes at the state meet.

Highland Park has mapped an ambitious schedule of ten meets, including the Brady Relays, Fort Worth Fat Stock Show meet, East Texas Relays, Texas Relays and Dallas invitation.

1941 Grid Coach Line-Up Regular Jig-Saw Puzzle

By DILLON GRAHAM
Sports Editor, AP Feature Service

NEW YORK—It's been many a year since the post-season shuffling of gridiron coaches involved as many major colleges as it has in 1941.

The roll call of institutions acquiring new mentors reads like a who's who in football—Notre Dame, Army, Boston College, Ohio State Dartmouth, Baylor, Yale, Brown. The list is long.

Ohio State, generally a power in the Western Conference, lost three games last fall, a disastrous year for the Buckeyes, and also lost their tutor, Francis Schmidt, who had piloted the Bucks for seven years, resigned, reportedly under pressure.

The Buckeyes finally reached down into the high school ranks for Schmidt's successor. They chose Paul Brown, who had enjoyed many successful years at Massillon, Ohio.

Notre Dame, customarily rated as one of the country's best, had to search for a new man when Elmer Layden, one of the famed Irish Four Horsemen, resigned to accept a $20,000 a year post as commissioner of professional football.

Leahy To Notre Dame

The Irish selected Frank Leahy, a Notre Dame player under Knute Rockne. Leahy had just signed a five-year contract at Boston College but the Eagles permitted him to accept the Notre Dame offer. Leahy piloted Boston through an unbeaten season and whipped Tennessee in the Sugar Bowl last New Year's day. Boston had not named a successor in mid-February.

The Army bumped into one of its worst seasons in the history of football at West Point and, when its coach, Capt. Bill Woods, was ordered to Fort Bliss, the millary academy called in Earl Blaik of Dartmouth. Blaik, a former Army man who had been an assistant at West Point some years ago, took his whole Dartmouth staff to the Hudson citadel.

These shifts brought about a change at Brown, too. Tuss McLaughry, who had coached there for 15 years, accepted an offer to succeed Blaik at Dartmouth. And Brown, which had had only three coaches in the past 51 years, selected J. Neil (Skip) Stahley, a Harvard assistant, as its new head man.

Paddy Driscoll left Marquette and was replaced by Tom Stidham of Oklahoma. Stidham's assistant, Dewey Luster, succeeded him at Oklahoma.

Pond Out At Yale

Yale, which was subjected to some humiliating defeats, let out Raymond (Ducky) Pond and named Emerson Nelson, a former Iowa star who had been an Eli assistant, as his replacement.

After some two decades of coaching, Morley Jennings resigned as Baylor coach. Chet Beneficl left Tulsa and was followed by Henry Frnka. Pete Cawthon left Texas Tech when that school elected to de-emphasize the grid game. Jimmy Kitts, Rice coach for several years before Jess Neely took over last fall, caught on at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, where Henry Redd relinquished the tutoring role to become athletic director.

Wesley Fesler, former Ohio State All-America end and an assistant at Harvard, was named head coach at Wesleyan. Fred Brice resigned at Maine after 20 years and was replaced by Eck Allen, a former assistant at Brown. Moon Mullins, who piloted little St. Ambrose to an undefeated season, accepted an assistant coaching post at Florida. Jim Yeager, from Iowa State, was chosen as Colorado coach.

Two changes were made in professional football. Greasy Neale gave up his assistant's role at Yale to become coach of the Pittsburgh team of the National League, while Bill Edwards of Cleveland, who produced three undefeated teams in six years at Western Reserve, took charge of the Detroit Lions. After Detroit released him George (Potsy) Clark signed as Grand Rapids, Mich., university coach.

One of the latest developments saw John O'Dell Morgan, line coach at Rice Institute, named head football coach at Texas Tech and Jennings take over as athletic director.

Baseball Banter

By JUDSON BAILEY

NEW YORK—(AP)—Most baseball people believe the Yankees' surprise sale of Babe Dahlgren to the Boston Bees was because Prexy Ed Barrow had become irritate at his holding out . . . That's why the Giants dropped Suitcase Seeds Friday . . . The same factor is likely to promote some other deals this month by other clubs . . . Tropical Stadium at Havana, where the Brooklyn Dodgers train, is so big that Larry MacPhail's mighty men couldn't make any home runs, but the Brooklyn magician remedied that . . . He had a wire fence built inside the park, 350 feet from home plate at the sidelines and 495 feet in centerfield, and in the first exhibition game catcher Herman Franks poled a homer over it. . . . Anbody else got any problems?

Pitcher Joe Dobson told of a railroad conductor who asked him if he had a roundtrip ticket on the way to the Boston Red Sox' camp . . . Some of the Cleveland pitchers are stuffing cotton in their ears because of the shrill whistling indulged in by George Susce, the coach who catches batting practice.

The Dodgers just can't ever get over being Dodgers . . . In their first exhibition game they got their batting order mixed up and Dolph Camilli went to the plate out of turn . . . Bucky Walters went to more than 130 banquets during the winter . . . Bill Lee, whose salary has been sliced so deep he hasn't even gone to California, let alone to the Chicago Cubs' training base at Catalina Island, was the club's highest paid player only two years ago.

Lefty Gomez felt so good after cutting lose at the Yanks' St. Petersburg camp he yelled, "I'll make MacPhail sicker than hell." . . . Reminiscent of his near-trade to the Dodgers, of course . . . One of the reasons Casey Stengel is happy (if he is) comes from the fact Eddie Miller, the Bees' star shortstop, has quit being a lone wolf and has started chumming with one and all.

Texas Loop Announces Few Schedule Changes

DALLAS—(AP)—Slight changes in the official playing schedule of the Texas Baseball League, as adopted at the recent Houston meeting, were announced here Saturday by league officials.

The season opens on April 13 and closes on Sunday, September 7, with 154 games played in 148 days. Six double-headers will be played by each club, two of which are carded on July 4 and Labor Day—the other four on Sundays.

All clubs will take an off-day on Wednesday, July 16, date for the sixth annual All-Star game at Beaumont.

The opening day schedule is now as follows:

Sunday, April 13: Fort Worth at Dallas; Tulsa at Oklahoma City; Houston at Beaumont, and San Antonio at Shreveport.

Tuesday, April 15: Dallas at Fort Worth.

Wednesday, April 16: Oklahoma City at Tulsa, Beaumont at Houston, Shreveport at San Antonio.

Arkansas Porkers Want National Cage Crown

By FELIX R. McKNIGHT

DALLAS—(AP)—Popularly, and deservedly, rated the best basketball team in Southwest history, University of Arkansas has one more objective—a National title.

The tall Mountaineers, rulers of the Southwest Conference for the ninth time in 15 seasons and holders of the team scoring record for a single season, are torn between two National tourneys.

From Madison Square Garden in New York has come an invitation to compete in the Invitational tourney. But the National Collegiate Athletic Association also wants the Porkers.

Decision probably will be made by the school's athletic council Monday at Fayetteville, Ark. Coach Glen Rose, shy tutor of the six foot, four inch average five that has lost only two games—both to the National AAU Champions, the Phillips Oilers, said the council's decision would be final.

James St. Clair, representative of the Western region of the N. C. A. A. has strongly indicated Arkansas would be invited to participate in the Kansas City Western eliminations March 21-22. The winner of that meeting between four picked teams of the West, will meet the Eastern champions in Kansas City on March 29 for the National title.

Analysis of the Arkansas success reveals a few hidden qualities.

Object of jibes from the players and fans only a season ago because of the awkardness fairly dripping from his six foot, eight inch frame, John Freiberger, the center, stumbled along until he developed his finesse.

Now he rates as a most damaging influence on the Porker five, and that takes in Johnny Adams, the phenomenal scorer who makes the headlines. Freiberger is the man who holds down the score.

Through eleven games opposing centers scored only 48 points on the Porkers.

The Porkers are essentially a high scoring team. No freeze-the-ball tactics are used.

Coach Rose encourages a fire-when-ready style because of the team's height; admits he might have to go back to more cautious play when shorter material comes along.

Al Blozis Hangs Up New Indoor Shot Put Record

NEW YORK—(AP)—Fordham split the honors with giant Al Blozis of Georgetown and Leslie MacMitchell of New York University in the 20th annual indoor track and field championships of the Intercollegiate A.A.A.A. Saturday night.

The Rams captured team honors. Blozis broke all indoor records for the shot put, with the second-best heave that's ever been recorded, and MacMitchell won the mile run for the second straight year and in doing so broke a nine-year-old meet record.

Fordham, clinching honors by winning the two-mile relay and taking four more points with second in the mile relay, won with 25 1-4 points. Pittsburgh and New York U., 1940 winner, tied for second at 18.

Blozis, 245-pound Georgetown University football player, put the 16-pound ball 56 feet 6 inches. It topped his IC4A indoor mark of 55 feet 3 1-4 and his world indoor record of 55 feet 8 3-4, and was only seven inches short of the all-time outdoor record set by Louisiana State's Jack Torrance in Oslo, Norway, in 1934.

MacMitchell, New York U's great miler, wiped one of the older IC4A records off the books as he retained his mile title in the grand time of 4 minutes 12 seconds. He bettered the mark set by Pen Hallowell of Harvard by four-tenths of a second.

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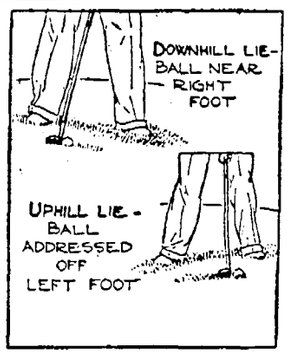

UPHILL-DOWNHILL

Rolling terrain on golf courses presents many occasions when the ball must be played from an uphill or downhill lie. Balance is essential in both instances and for the uphill lie, this is best maintained by having the ball located off the left foot using a normal stance. A slight bend in the left knee, keeps the body on even keel, similar to knee action in a motor car. During the backswing an effort must be made to keep a measure of weight on the left foot as this guards against the tendency to fall away from the ball, a not unnatural reaction under the circumstances.

On downhill lies the ball is located nearer the right foot. This position plus the use of a more lofted club than usual under similar distance requirements, will tend to get the ball into the air. It is essential that the player make certain of following through, keeping the clubhead traveling as close to the ground as possible.

Jenkins Fought Ambers With Two Bruised Hands

NEW YORK—(AP)—A possible reason for Lew Jenkins' failure to show his usual punching deadliness in the early rounds against Lou Ambers Friday night was discovered Saturday when it was learned the lightweigh champion had both his hands treated by Dr. Peter Mogull a few hours before the fight.

The physician disclosed Saturday that the muscles inside the thumbs on both Jenkins' hands were severely bruised, and that "he was definitely in the ring under a handicap."

The Texan finally stopped Ambers in the seventh round.

Golfers To Meet At Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE — Rio Grande Valley golfers will gather at the Brownsville Country Club Monday night to complete organization plans for the Valley Golf Association which came into existance at a meeting held in Harlingen two weeks ago.

Hill Cocke, permanent chairman of the association, issues an invitation to all persons in the Valley interested in golf and the staging of a Valley Open at Harlingen either in December or February.

The business meeting will be preceded by a "Dutch Treat" dinner at the local club house.

ATTEND MEETING

PHARR—O. E. Avery of Pharr, Chas. Parrott, Bob Dunham, and Woodrow Wilson of McAllen attended the meeting and dinner of Dr. Pepper salesmen held in Brownsville Thursday night, with Frank Davis of Brownsville as host for the meeting.

Figure In Slaying Leaves California

GLENDALE, Calif. — (AP) — Mrs. Winnie Jean Hawkins, object of a quarrel in which her husband, Robert L. Hawkins, is charged with slaying Clinton Numan Thompson, left Saturday with relatives for her former home in Hollis, Okla.

Hawkins was held for trial March 17 on a murder charge after officers testified he told them he returned home unexpectedly last Sunday morning and surprised his wife and Thompson embracing in Mrs. Hawkins' bedroom.

RAF Bags 3 Germans

LONDON—(AP)—British fighter planes swept over northern France Saturday afternoon and shot down three German fighters without loss, the ministry of information announced.

Bill Lee Talks About Salary

DALLAS—(AP)—Big Bill Lee, Chicago Cub holdout pitcher, followed the beagles Saturday, but his mind was on baseball.

"Five thousand dollars is too much of a cut for me to take," he protested while watching three of his six dogs compete in the Southern Beagle Club's four-day field trials.

"The Cubs paid me $17,500 last season and I'm willing to take a cut of $2,500. But $5,000—hmmmmh! That's too much."

Lee, mopping his forehead after a mad dash through brush and thicket, said he had written directly to President Wrigley explaining why he thought he deserved at least $15,000.

"I'm going back to Louisiana if I haven't received the right answer by Sunday, but I'm keeping in shape and will be in top condition if and when I report to Catalina Island."

Bolton Boone, Jr., To Exhibit Buzzophone At Inventor's Meet

HARLINGEN—Bolton Boone, Jr., 13-year-old son of Rev. and Mrs. Bolton Boone of Dallas, formerly of Harlingen, will be the youngest exhibitor at the Inventors of America four-day convention beginning in Dallas Monday, according to Associated Press dispatch from Dallas Saturday.

He will display a "Buzzophone," a flat device about the size of a typewriter, which produces tones when one or more of six keys are pressed.

Amnesia Victim Is Los Angeles Woman

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Police said Saturday that a 20-year-old amnesia victim has been identified at the county hospital as Miss Ann Hefter of Los Angeles. The woman registered at the Y.W.C.A. here Wednesday night and spent one night there. She was taken to the hospital Thursday night by an unidentified man who disappeared while she was being given a preliminary examination.

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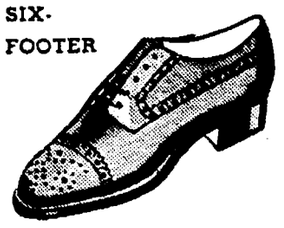

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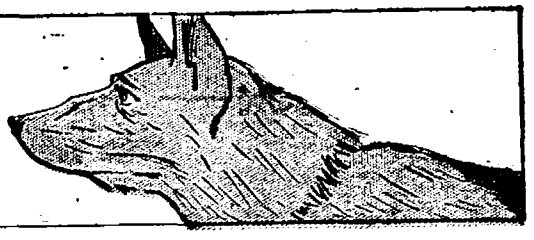

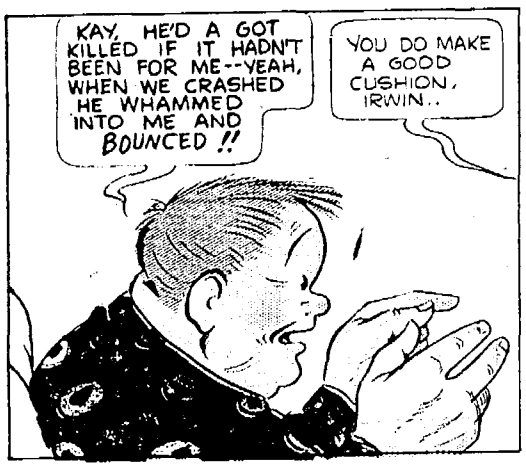

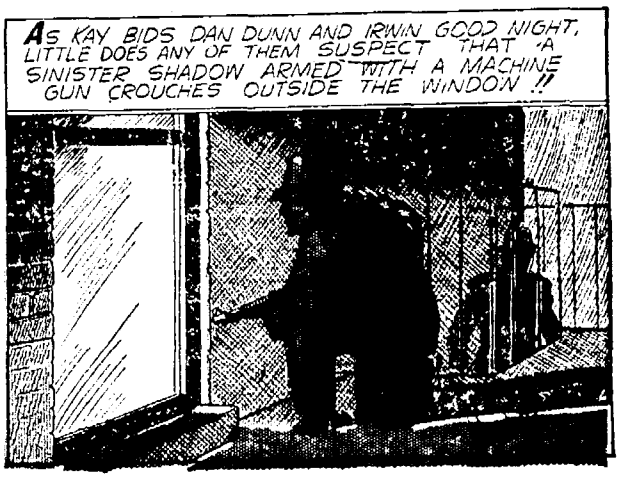

HENRY

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CAPTAIN EASY BY ROY CRANE

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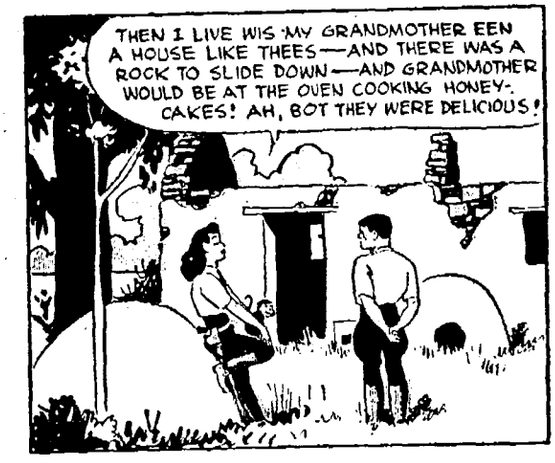
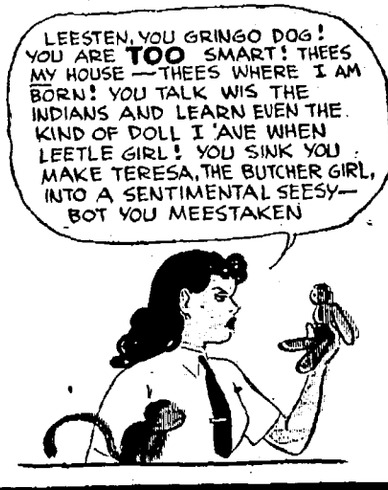
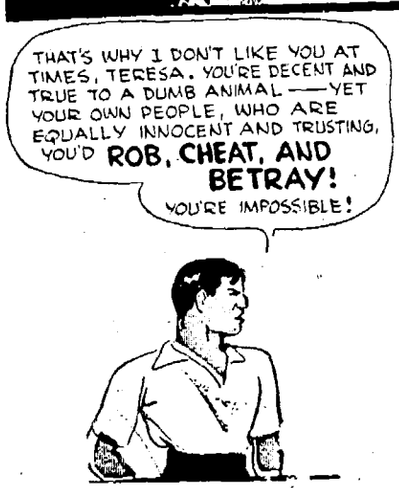
TERESA IS WAITING FOR THE HOUR OF MIDNIGHT, WHEN SHE AND HER BANDITS ARE TO SNATCH THE ANCIENT MAYAN TREASURES FROM THE INDIAN VILLAGE WHERE SHE WAS BORN. SHE HEARS A WHISTLE OUTSIDE







ALLEY OOP

WHILE SEARCHING FOR CLEOPATRA, WHO IS ON A HIPPOPOTAMUS-HUNTING EXPEDITION, OOP INADVERTENTLY MEETS UP WITH ONE OF THE BEASTS IN AN UNEXPECTED MANNER.

MY GOSH! A HIPPO!

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I'LL GIVE HIM A HEADACHE!

THERE, PAL!

KAPOWWW

??

KAFLUMMMM

?!

WHRRROWF! — MEANING "GRRR!"

JUDGING BY TH' LOOK IN THAT CRITTER'S EYE, HE'S FIXIN' TO CHARGE! THE BIG JUGHEAD, I WISH HE WOULD!

HAH, HERE HE COMES! JIMINY, HE'S A MONSTER! MEBBE THAT WASN'T SUCH A SMART WISH I MADE

THUMP THUMPITY THUMP

GOTOTO

WHOOEY! THERE AIN'T ANY AX EVER BEEN MADE THAT'LL STOP A THING LIKE THAT!

GOSH! WHAT DID HE HIT?

SPLASH CR

OOWI EEEK! OW! YIPE!

W.T. Hamlin

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WELL, CLEOPATRA!! THIS IS A SURPRISE! FANCY MEETING YOU HERE!

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FOOZY'S FOOLOSOPHIES

LUCK'S GREAT STUFF, BUT BETWEEN THAT AND SKILL, I'LL TAKE THE LATTER... AND WIN... I WILL!

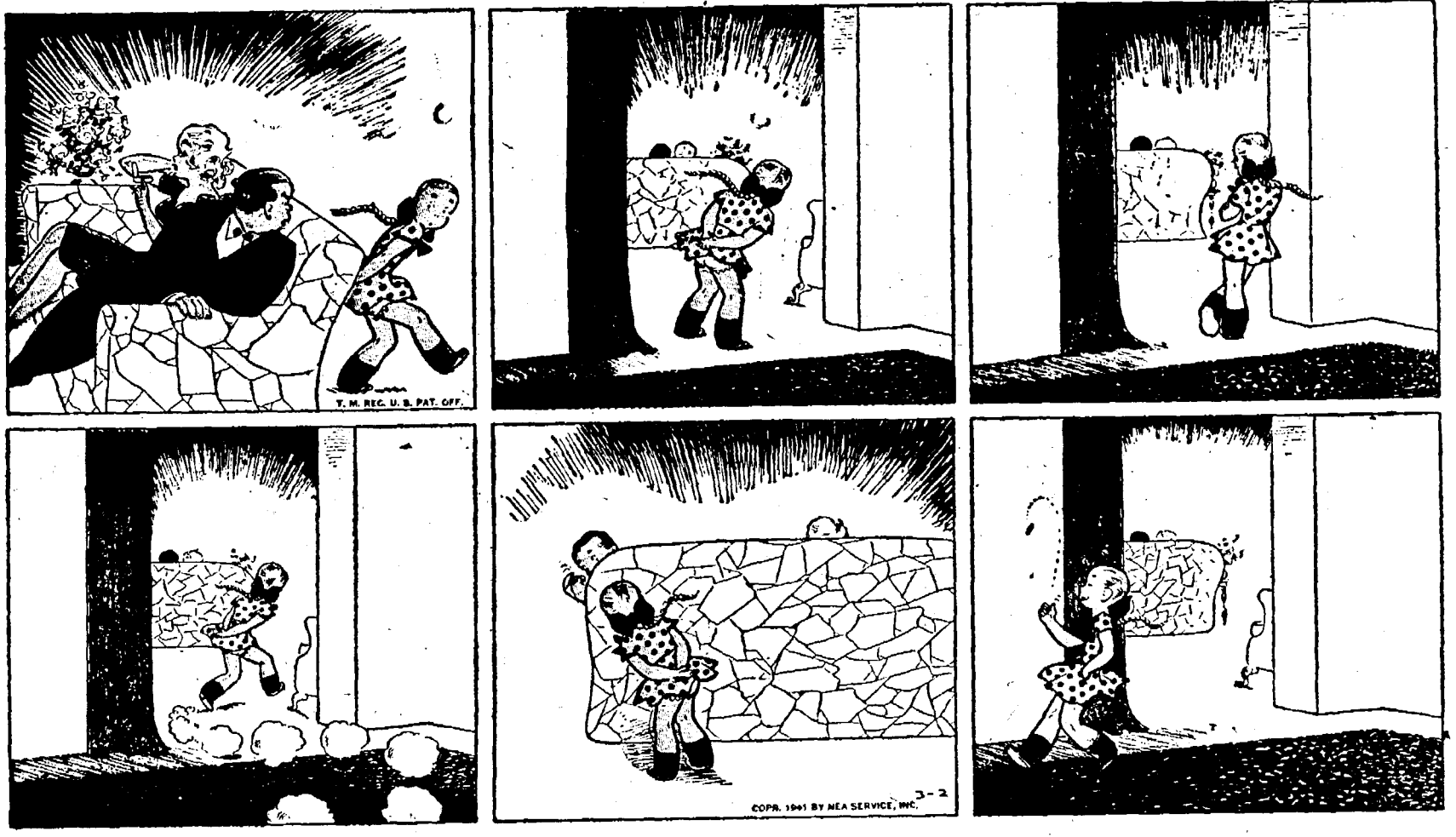
THE WEATHER THIS WEEK: DEPENDS A LOT ON WHETHER THE WEATHER OF YESTERDAY WAS LAMBLIKE OR LIONLIKE

KREE MEE

KREE MEE BUTTER is made from the best butter cream available in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Its goodness is apparent the moment you open the carton. Ask for it by name.

FINE BUTTER

BOOTS



BABE 'N' HORACE

by

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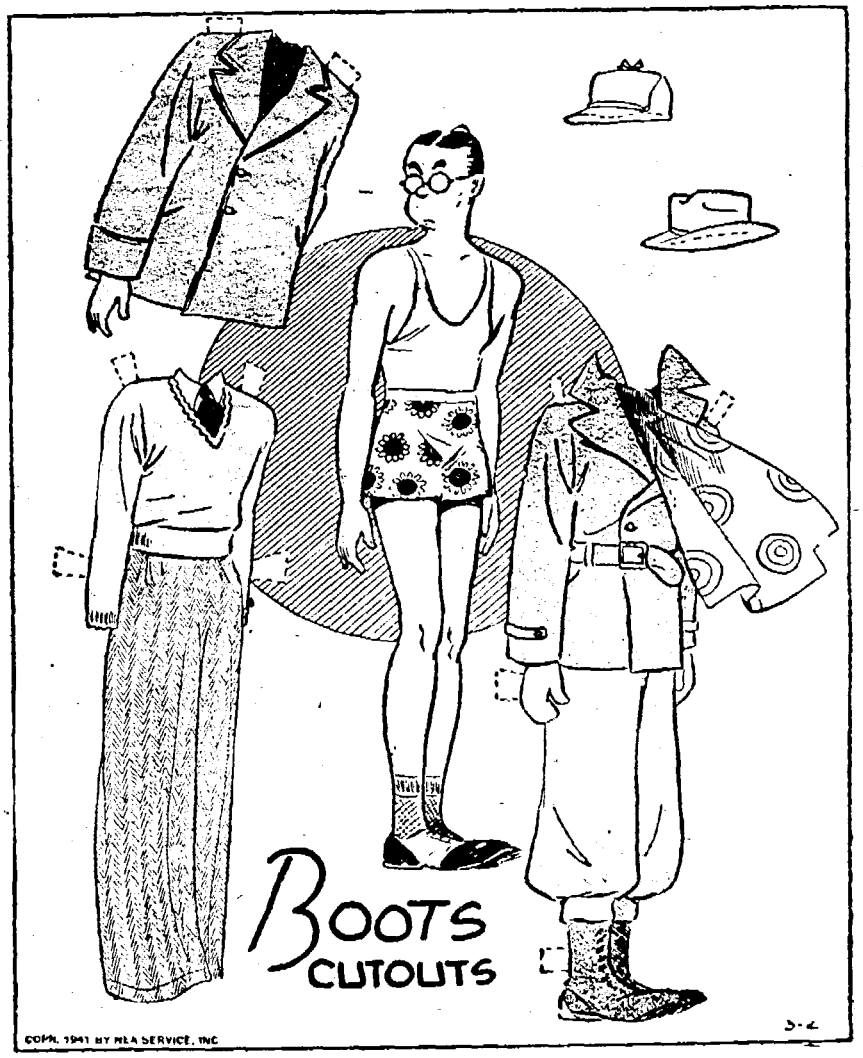

KREE MEE Your children will always ask for KREE Mee ICE CREAM and they can't get too much for their active, healthful young bodies. KREE MEE DOUBLE DIP CONES or 5c BUCKETS will please them. **Double Dip Cones**

Don Winslow OF THE NAVY

U.S.S. WINSLOW

TAIN COLA.

WHAT? DUPLICATE OUR NEW ARMORED BOMBER AT A MOMENTS NOTICE?

NO! NO! THIS BOMBER IS TO BE A FAKE - A SORT OF STAND-IN!

COMMANDER WINSLOW HAS CONVINCED ME THE REAL PLANE IS IN GREAT DANGER FROM SABOTAGE AND—

OH, NOW I GET THE IDEA!

-PRETTY SLICK SCHEME. WE'LL CALL OFF TRAINING SCHOOL FOR THE CADETS AND PUT THEM TO WORK ON IT IMMEDIATELY!

WAIT, CAPTAIN - WHERE WILL YOU HIDE THE REAL BOMBER?

IN A PATCH OF WOODS NOT FAR FROM THE STATION! WE NEED PRACTICE IN SUCH WARTIME CAMOUFLAGE ANYWAY!

THE CADETS ARE HAVING FUN OUT OF THIS, RED!

BOY! WHAT A SLAP-STICK PIECE OF JUNK! BUT IT LOOKS REAL, AT THAT!

IT MIGHT EVEN LIFT OFF THE GROUND - IT'S BUILT AROUND ONE OF CORRY FIELD'S OLD TRAINING PLANES!

AND THE WHOLE THING'S JUST A DECOY - A TARGET FOR ENEMY SABOTAGE!

RIGHT! I CAN'T WAIT TO SEE WHAT HAPPENS!

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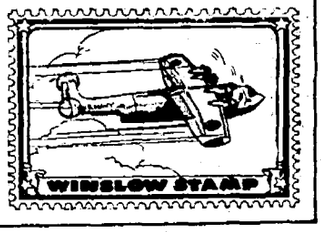
KNOW YOUR NAVY

ONE OF THE FLEET'S BIGGEST BATTLE PLANES, A **PATROL BOMBER** IT WEIGHS 35 TONS! SPEED 220 M.P.H. RANGE 5000 MILES!



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BILLY the BOY ARTIST imitates LIP STICK

BY ED PAYNE

LORD CHUMPLEY HAS WAITED SO LONG THAT HE'S GONE TO SLEEP MISS MAUD!

I'LL BE DOWN SOON, MARIE!

OH, MISS MAUD!

LET ME SEE HOW MY NEW LIPSTICK LOOKS ON YOU!

HE IS ASLEEP, WAITING FOR YOUR SISTER, AND YOU MUSTNT DISTURB HIM!

RED

POOR CLARENCE! I KEPT HIM WAITING SO LONG! I'LL STEP OVER AND WAKE HIM!

CLARENCE!

OH, MISS MAUD, I DIDNT!

HOW DID THOSE LIPSTICK PRINTS GET ON YOUR FACE? YOU NEED NOT ANSWER I KNOW!

TOONERVILLE FOLKS

FLEM PRODDY, THE LOCAL INVENTOR

BY FONTAINE FOX

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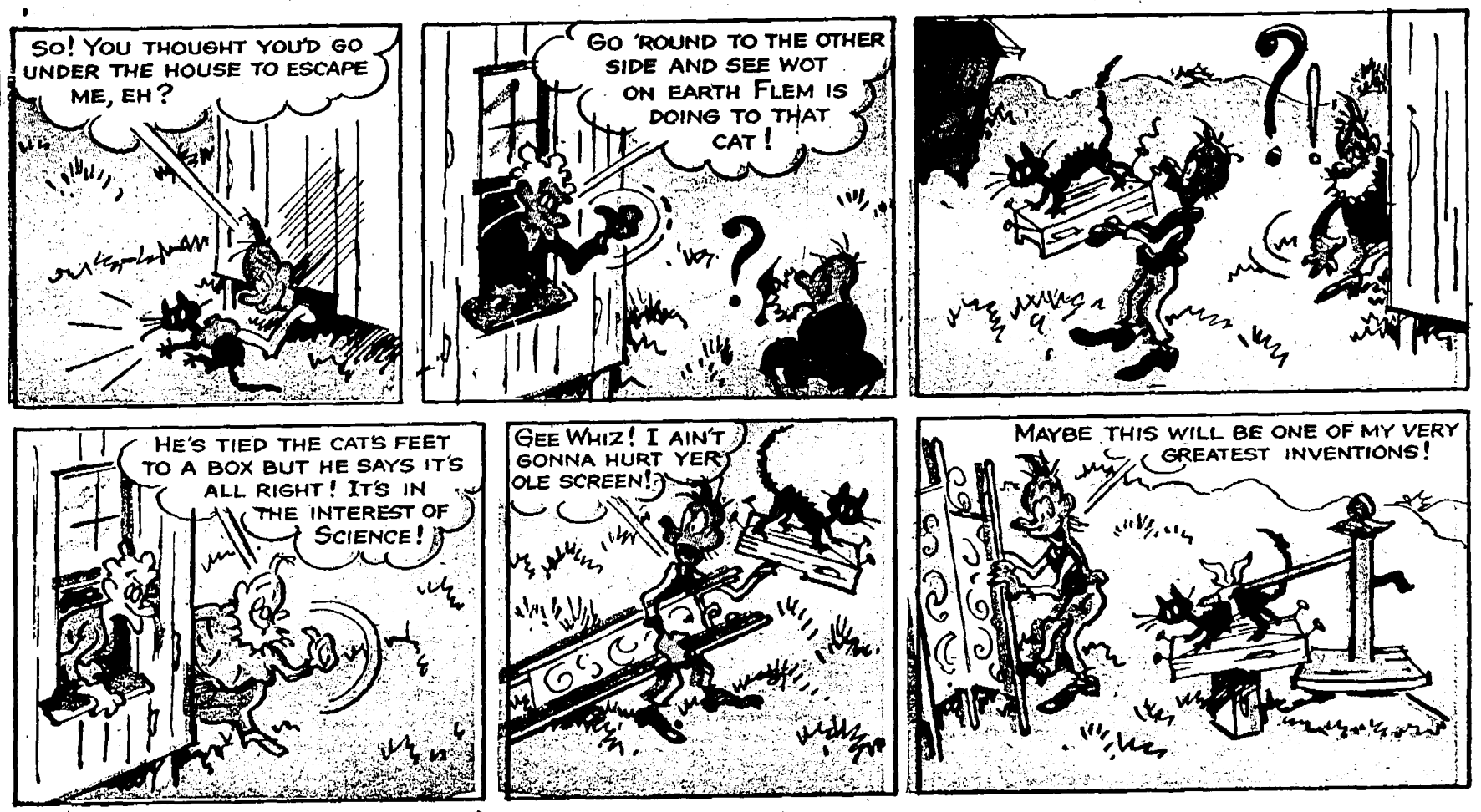

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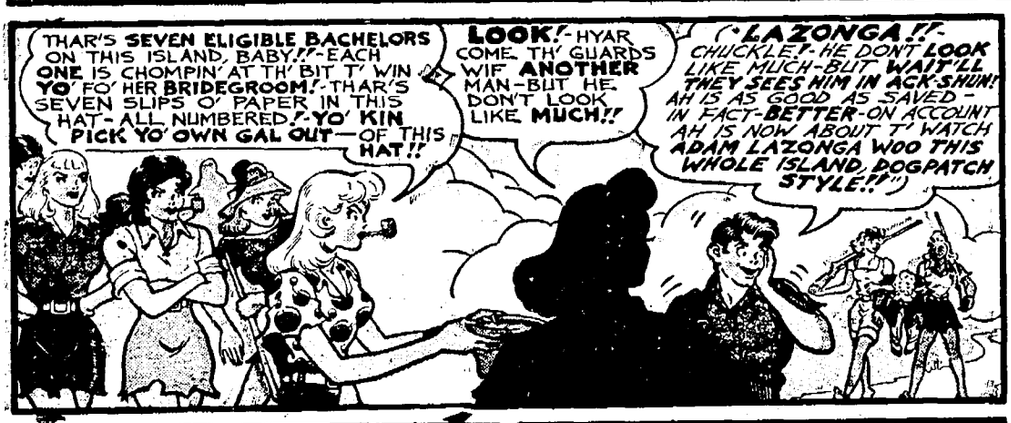
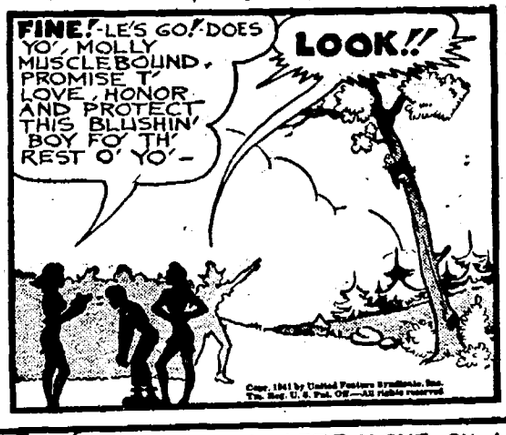
LI'L ABNER

by AL CAPP

Advice fo' Chillun

DON'T PLAY MEAN TRICKS ON APRIL FOOL, JUST BEAR IN MIND THE GOLDEN RULE . . . SENT IN BY ARLENE ANDREWS, BETHEL, CONN.





ABBIE an' SLATS

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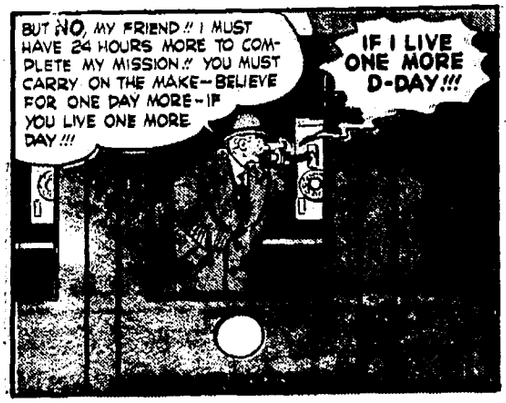

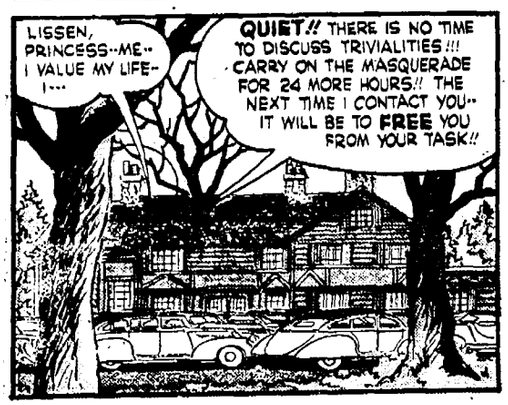

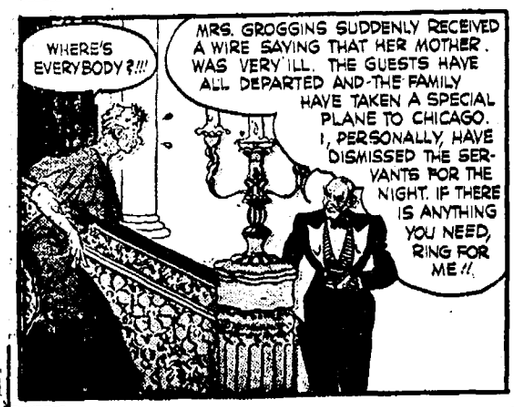

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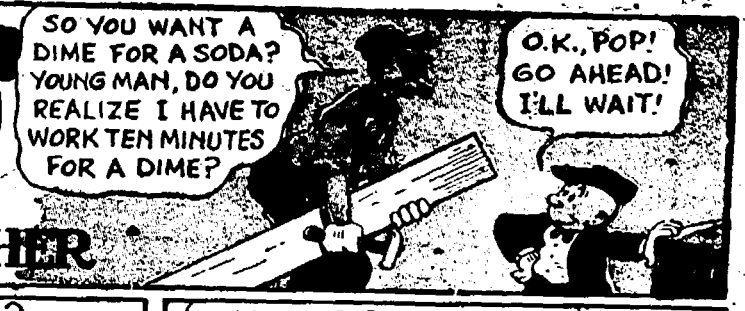

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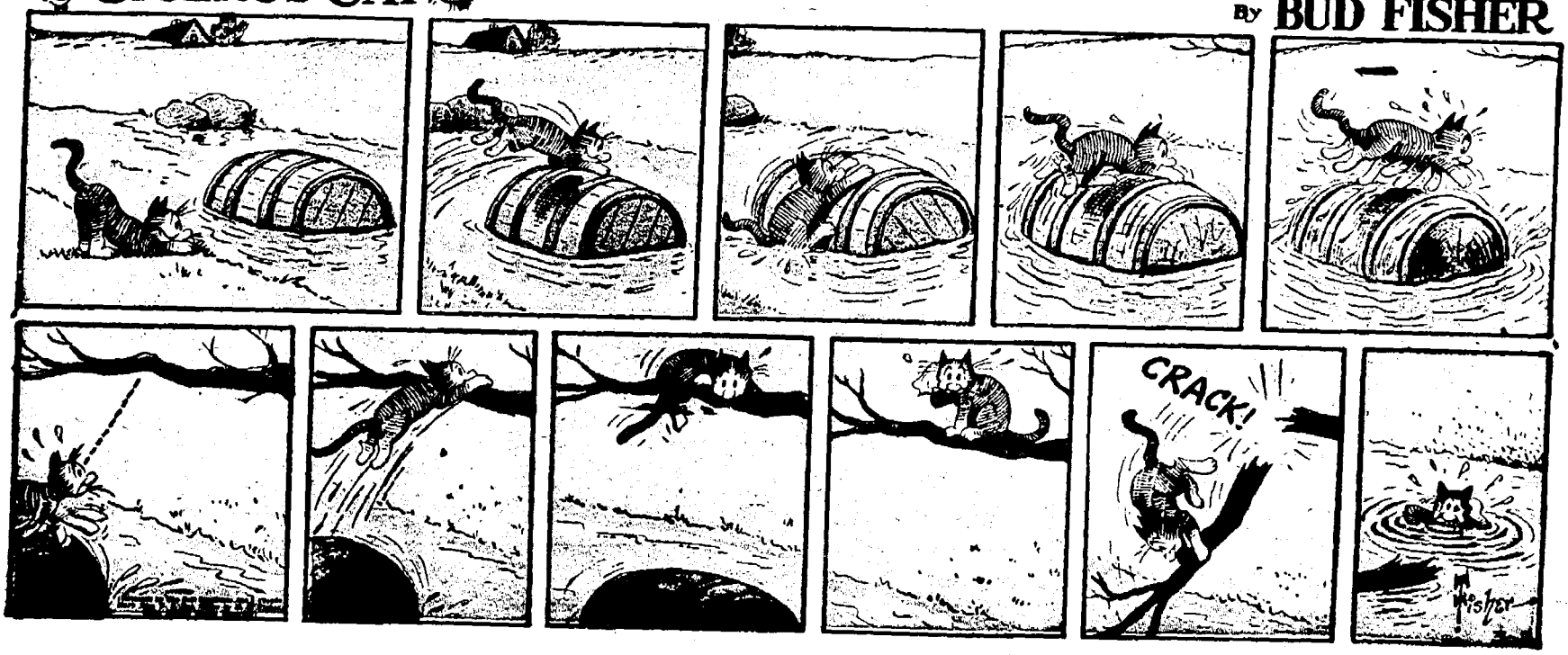

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FLYIN' JENNY

By- Russell Keaton

SMARTING WITH INDIGNATION AFTER A MUCH-DESERVED SPANKING FROM JENNY, CYRIL SNEAKS ABOARD HIS PLANE AND—

WOW! THAT GUY'S JUST ONE REV AHEAD OF TH' AMBULANCE!

CYRIL! YOU POOR KID!

MOWING THE TOP FROM A TREE, CYRIL NOSES CRAZILY UPWARD—

I'M SCARED! FLYING SEEMED SO EASY WHEN I READ THAT BOOK!

BUT SUPPOSE THAT KID HITS YOU UP THERE, JENNY?

THAT'S THE CHANCE I'VE GOT TO TAKE!

USE RADIO

NC2412

USE RADIO

--AND JENNY TAKES OFF IN AN ATTEMPT TO TALK CYRIL TO A SAFE LANDING!

NOW, CYRIL! START A GENTLE TURN TO YOUR RIGHT!

CHASER

JUST A LITTLE RUDDER AND AILERON! THEN BACK TO NEUTRAL!

NC2412

Y-YES, JENNY!

NC1620

PULL BACK YOUR THROTTLE AND EASE THE WHEEL FORWARD! NOT TOO MUCH, CYRIL!

WE'RE GOING IN FOR A LANDING! NOTHING TO BE AFRAID OF! JUST KEEP YOUR NOSE STRAIGHT AND YOUR WINGS LEVEL!

I'M SCARED, JENNY! I'M SCARED!

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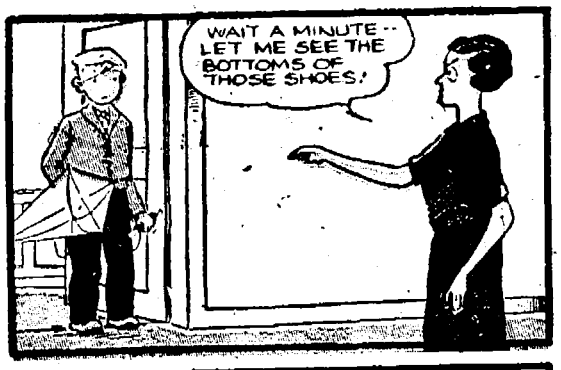
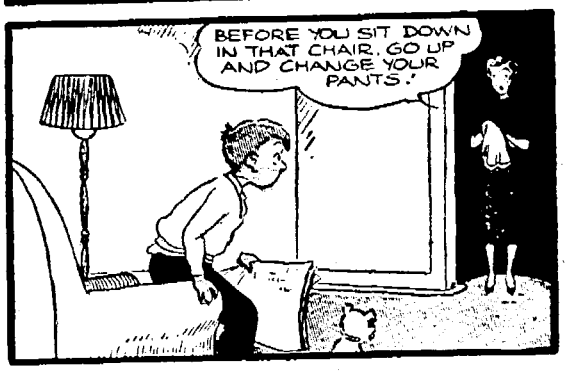
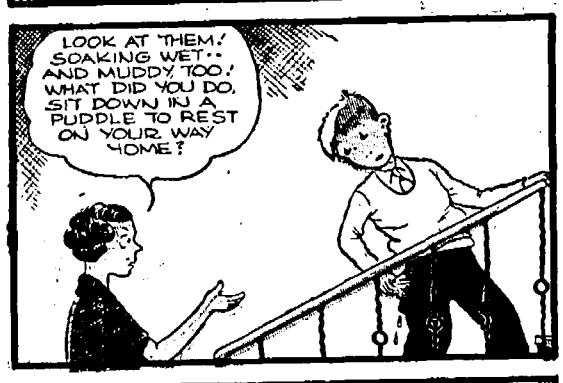
OUT OUR WAY

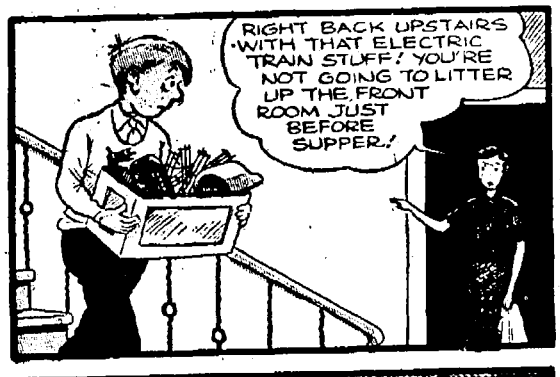
WITH "The Willets"

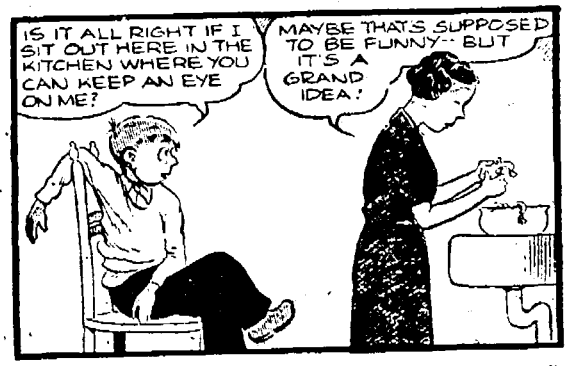
by J.R. WILLIAMS

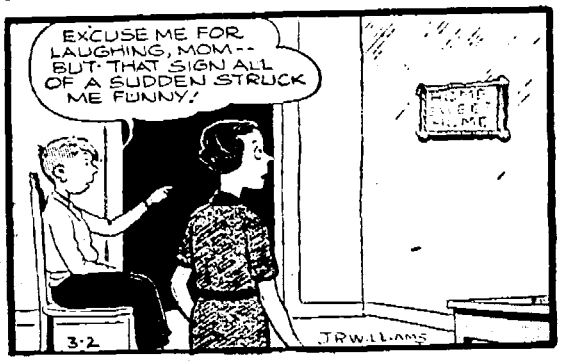












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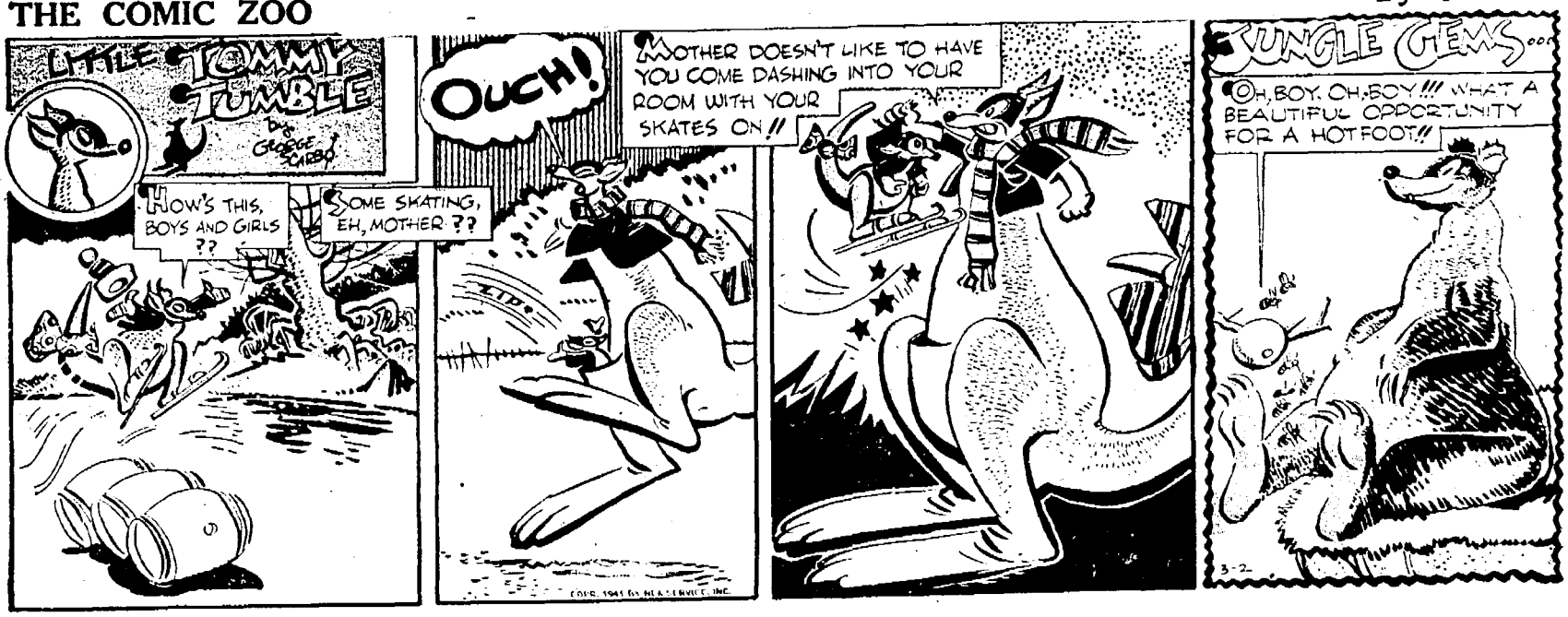

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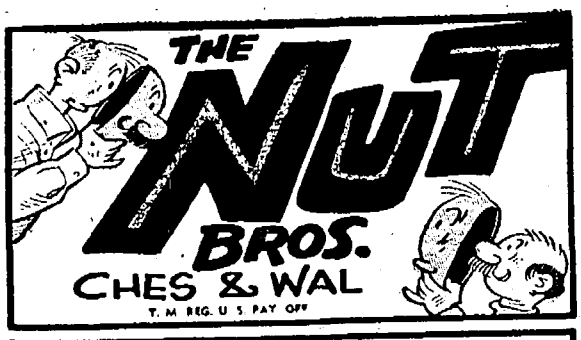
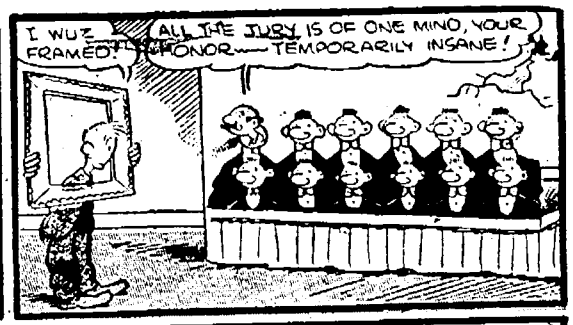
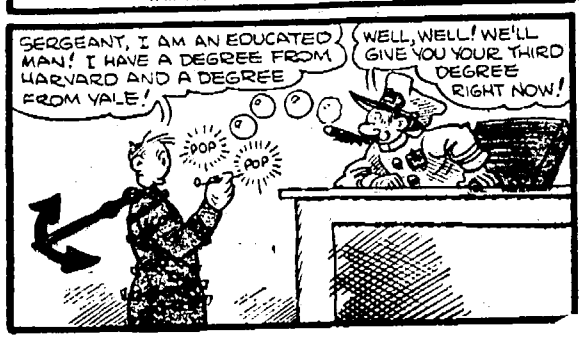
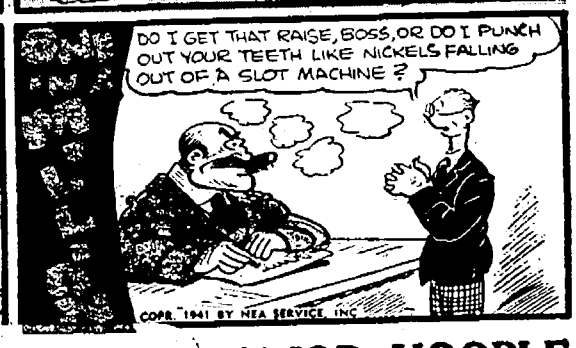
ICE CREAM









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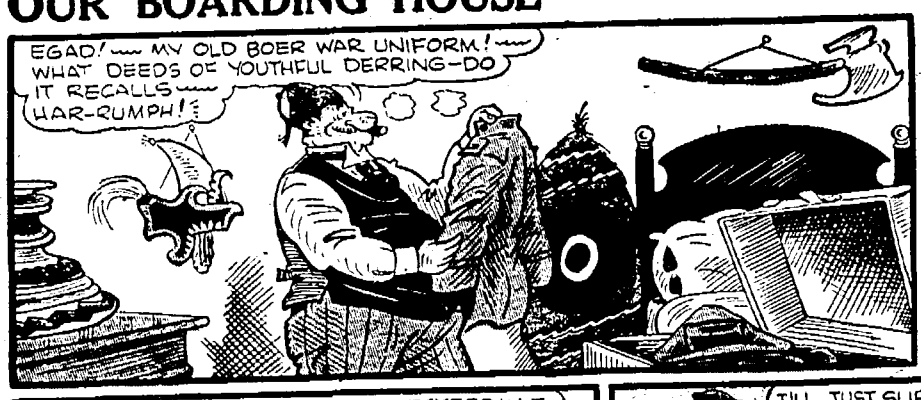

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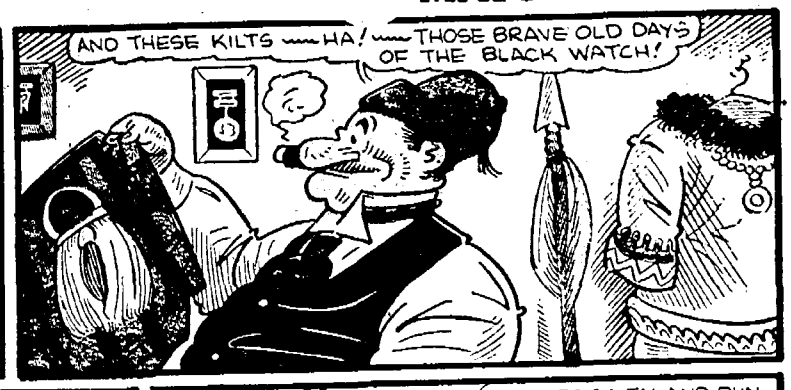

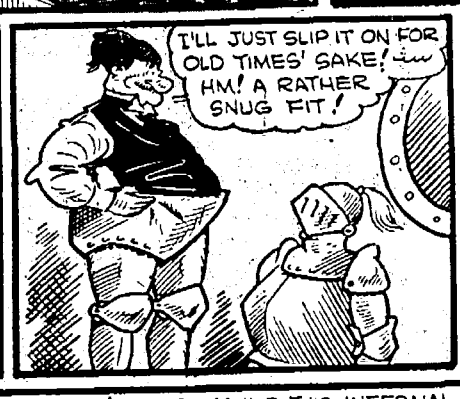

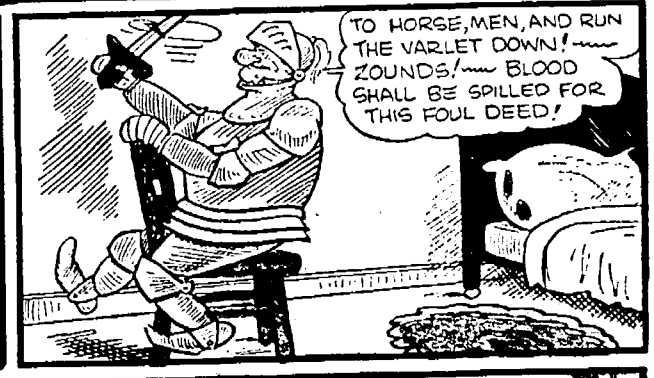

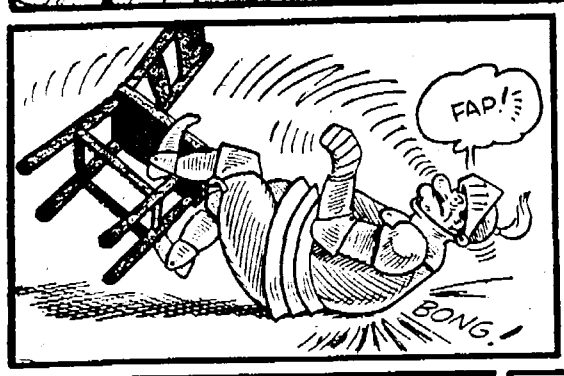

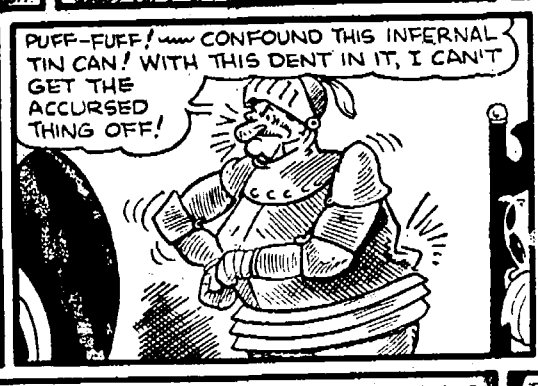

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THIS WORLD

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SPRING TONIC!

IN THE OLD DAYS, IT WAS SULPHUR AND MOLASSES! TODAY, WE HAVE OTHER SPRING PEPPER-UPPERS.

GAYLY-COLORED SEED CATALOGS INSTILL VIM, VIGOR AND HIGH HOPES INTO THE BREASTS OF GARDEN-MINDED SOULS.

FOR SOME, THERE'S NOTHING SO STIMULATING AS SPRING DOPE FROM THE BASEBALL CAMPS.

A CROCUS ON THE FROSTY LAWN WILL SEND MANY A MAN TO HIS OFFICE WITH A POEM ON HIS LIPS.

THE SONG OF THE FIRST ROBIN IS ENOUGH TO BOLSTER THE JADED SPIRITS OF SOME FOLKS.

A VASE OF PUSSY WILLOWS IS ALL IT TAKES TO START A NIMROD REPAIRING HIS TACKLE.

SUMMER VACATION LITERATURE WAFTS THE SMELL OF PINE NEEDLES AND OCEAN OZONE DEEP INTO THE LUNGS OF OTHER WINTER SURVIVORS.

EVEN THE HATS WOMEN WEAR IN SPRING ACT AS EYE OPENERS AFTER OUR LONG DREARY WINTER'S HIBERNATION.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

by Blosser

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SURE, I'M PATRIOTIC! WHY?

THEN MEET ME AFTER SCHOOL AT FOURTH AND OAK!

AN' LISTEN--- BRING A SLEDGE HAMMER!

WHAT FOR?

WHISPER WHISPER WHISPER

NO FOOLING? OH, BOY---WE'LL TAKE CARE OF THAT!!

THAT'S WHAT I WAS TELLING YOU ABOUT....COUNT 'EM!

ONE--TWO--THREE--FOUR--FIVE!

THINK WE OUGHTA DO WHAT WE SAID?

SURE! THE NEWSPAPERS SAY IT'S OUR PATRIOTIC DUTY!

WHAT'S GOING ON OUT THERE, K.F.?

DON'T ASK ME! LET'S GO OUT AND SEE!!

THUMP

BAM

BANG

BANK

HEY, YOU BOYS ---- STOP THAT THIS INSTANT!!

LIKE HECK WE WILL....NOT UNTIL WE'VE DESTROYED IT!!

WHY DON'T PEOPLE MAKE UP THEIR MINDS! FIRST THEY TELL US TO DO SOMETHIN'....THEN THEY BAWL US OUT FOR IT!

IF THAT AIN'T A FIFTH COLUMN, WHAT IS IT?

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THIMBLE THEATRE :-: Starring POPEYE

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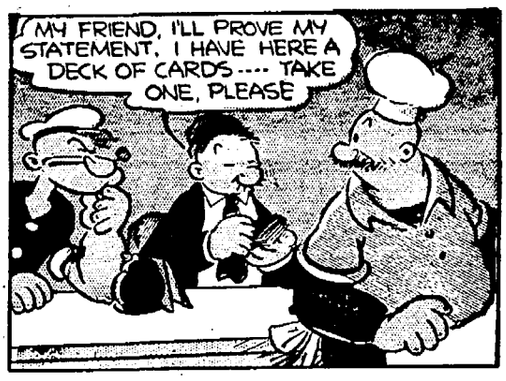

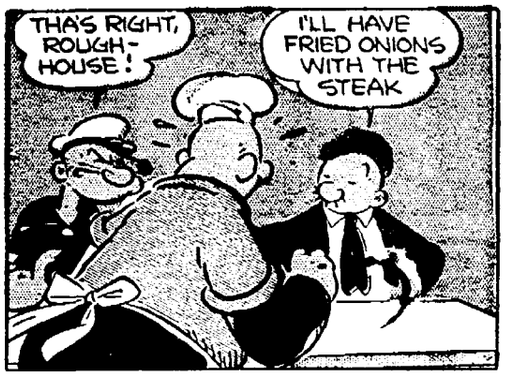

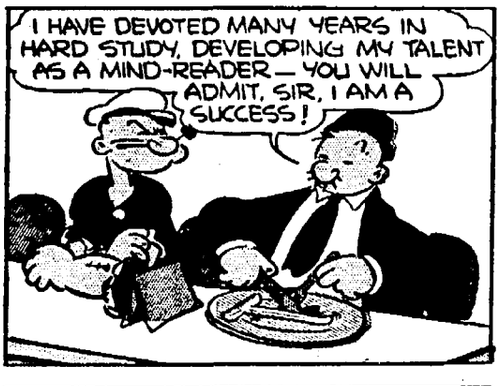

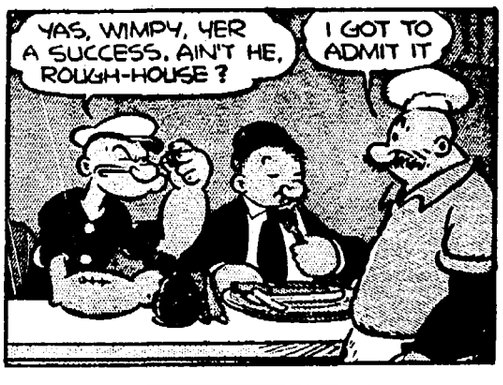

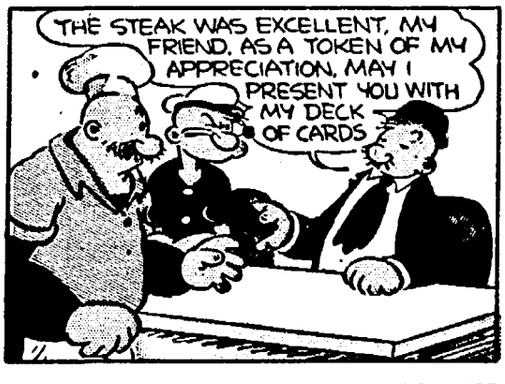

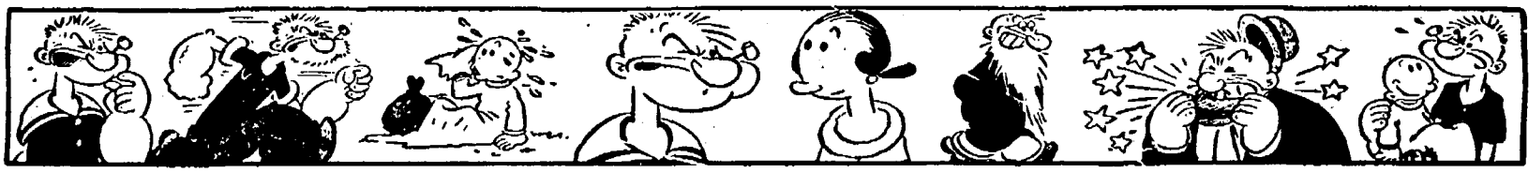

BIFF.. YOU MAY CALL THE GUESTS' NAMES AS THEY ENTER!

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CALL 'EM NAMES! GOSH! WON'T THAT MAKE 'EM SORE?

HEY, GRAN'PA BRAMBLE! I'M SORTA **STEPPIN' OUT** TONIGHT.. KIN I WEAR YER WHITE MUFFLER?

SORRY, BILL! I'D PLANNED TO WEAR IT **MYSELF**!

YOU'LL LOOK **GOOD ENOUGH** ANYHOW.. FOR THE PEOPLE **YOU'LL** PROBABLY MEET!

OH, YEAH! I'M GOIN' OVER ON **RITZMORE DRIVE**, IF YA WANTA KNOW!

GOOD! I'M HEADING TOWARD THAT PART OF TOWN MYSELF. GLAD TO SHARE MY TAXI WITH YOU!

MUCH OBLIGED! (*HE THINKS I'M* ***BLUFFIN'***! *I'LL* ***SHOW*** *TH' OLD COOT!*

HERE WE ARE AT TH' HOME O' MRS. DE VANCY STERLING! THAT'S WHERE **I'M** GOIN' TONIGHT!

HMM! YOU **DO** MINGLE WITH THE TOP CRUST, DON'T YOU, BILL?

YEP! I AN' MISSUS STERLING HAS BEEN PALS FER A COON'S AGE! WELL.. I'LL SEE YA LATER!

I'M GLAD IT'S DARK, SO GRAMPS WON'T SEE ME GOIN' TO TH' **SERVANTS'** ENTRANCE! HE'LL SURE TREAT ME WITH **RESPECK** IN TH' FUTURE!

EVENIN', KITTY O'KAY!

EVENIN' TO **YOU**, BILL BIFF! AND IT'S MIGHTY HAPPY I AM TO **SEE** YE, AT THIS TIME!

AW! ARE YA REALLY GLAD I COME OVER?

YES! THE MISSUS HAS BEEN RINGIN' FOR **TEA**.. AND BANKS THE BUTLER SLIPPED OUT TO A **SHOW**!

HERE! PUT HIS COAT ON! THE MISSUS IS THAT **NEAR-SIGHTED** SHE'LL NIVER NOTICE! GO ON! BANKS WOULD DO THE SAME FOR **ME**!

WELL.. I RECKON..

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DOGGONE! SOUNDS LIKE SHE HAD **COMPANY**! HOPE I DON'T **STUMBLE**...!

..JUST LIKE OLD TIMES AT PALM BEACH, ISN'T IT, MR. BRAMBLE?.. **BANKS**! WHAT ON EARTH...!